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PRESS RELEASE

LEISURE CANADA ANNOUNCES NEW PRESIDENT

For Immediate Release – January 19, 2000

Leisure Canada Inc. (LCI), is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Peter MacLeod as President and Chief Operating Officer and a director of the Company. Mr. MacLeod was previously Senior Vice President Design Development for LCI and was based in the company's Havana office. With this appointment Mr. MacLeod will be succeeding Mr. Berukoff as President and will be based in the company's corporate office in Vancouver.

Mr. MacLeod has over 20 years of experience in design and construction within the hotel industry, including positions with Delta Hotels Ltd., Imperial Group, CN Hotels and CP Hotels. In 1978, Mr. MacLeod joined Delta Hotels Ltd. as Director of Engineering, a position he held until 1983. After serving as Project Manager for Imperial Group from 1983 to 1984, and Director of Design & Construction for CN Hotels from 1984 to 1985, Mr. MacLeod was appointed as Vice President Design & Construction for CN Hotels. After the acquisition of CN Hotels by Canadian Pacific Hotels, Mr. MacLeod held the positions of Vice President Design & Construction and Assistant Vice President Development for Canadian Pacific Hotels. After a very successful career with CN/CP, Mr. MacLeod accepted the position of Vice President Design, Construction & Development for Delta Hotels Ltd. Throughout his career, Mr. MacLeod has been responsible for the development of over 30 hotels, including nine hotels in Cuba for Delta Hotels Ltd.

Speaking on the appointment, Mr. Berukoff stated "As the company will be entering into the construction phase of activities, Peter's experience in the development of hotels in Canada and internationally make him the perfect candidate to lead the next phase of development of Leisure Canada. I am extremely pleased to have him as President and C.O.O. of our company."

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