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**Colorado Hotel & Lodging Association Recognizes**  
**Four Lodging and Tourism Industry Leaders at**  
**70<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference**

Nov. 3, 2008, Denver, ... The Colorado Hotel & Lodging Association (CH&LA) recognized four leaders in the lodging and tourism industry at its 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference at The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs, Colo. on Thurs., Oct. 30, 2008. The following industry members were honored:

**2008 Galen Drake Allied Award:**

*Ms. Pennie Landon, Senior National Account Manager – Travel/Sales, USA Today*  
This award is presented to an allied member, individual or company for their extraordinary dedication and work on behalf of the association.

**2008 Chairman's Award:**

*Mr. Chuck Porter, Sheraton Steamboat Resort*  
*Mr. Robert Tschupp, Vice President & General Manager, SuperShuttle*  
The CH&LA chairperson presents this award to an individual or organization who has contributed greatly to the success of the association, and that is not in a position to be otherwise honored.

**2008 Hall of Fame Inductee:**

*Mr. Navin Dimon, President, Stonebridge Companies*  
This honor is awarded to an individual who has made extraordinary contributions to the Lodging industry and to The Colorado Hotel & Lodging Association.

The Colorado Hotel & Lodging Association has more than 540 members representing more than 40,000 guestrooms throughout the state of Colorado. CH&LA's member properties include romantic bed and breakfast inns, luxury hotels, affordable motels, Colorado ski resorts, Rocky Mountain cabins, rustic guest ranches, relaxing spas, weekend getaway timeshares, and condominium and vacation rental services, ranging in size from three to 1,600 rooms.

The Colorado Hotel & Lodging Association offers visitors the leading searchable database of travel accommodations and vacation lodging in Colorado, from the plains to the Front Range and from the Rocky Mountains to the Western Slope.

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