




## **Furama Recognised for Environmental Commitment with Fourth Consecutive ASEAN Green Hotel Award at ATF 2014**

*Ongoing industry and regional recognition encourages green hotels Furama City Centre and Furama RiverFront in their continuous environmental efforts*

**Singapore, January 2014** – Furama Hotels International (FHI), one of the largest global hotel chains in Singapore, was recognised for its commitment to the environment with **Furama City Centre** and **Furama RiverFront**, amongst ten hotels from Singapore and 86 hotels in the region, receiving their fourth consecutive **ASEAN Green Hotel Award** at the [ASEAN Tourism Forum \(ATF\) 2014](#) in Kuching, Malaysia on 20 January.

The prestigious win adds to a list of green accolades that includes the [BCA Green Mark Platinum Award](#) by the [Building and Construction Authority](#) and [Singapore Green Hotel Award](#) by the [Singapore Hotel Association](#), applauding the outstanding and trail-blazing environmental efforts by the hotel. [Furama City Centre](#) and [Furama RiverFront](#) continue to be the only existing hotels feted with this highest distinction from BCA.

The bi-annual ASEAN Green Hotel Award, first presented in 2008, recognises environmentally-conscious hotels that have shown excellence in green practices and performed exceptionally-well under the ASEAN Green Hotel Standard – one of six [ASEAN Tourism](#) Standards that the ten ASEAN member states consider essential for promoting the region as a quality single destination. The stringent judging criteria include solid waste management, energy and water efficiency, air quality management and toxic chemical substance disposal.



“We are honoured and encouraged as we receive the ASEAN Green Tourism Award for the fourth consecutive year since its inception, representing the nation in promoting ASEAN as a quality single destination, amongst the increasing number of hotels in Singapore. We are proud to be given this recognition by the industry and the region as Furama continues in her environmental-conscious efforts in water and energy efficiency using innovative systems, environmental quality and improving the green features within the hotels to ensure a comfortable environment for the guests,” said Mr Welly Jamin, Vice President, Operations, Furama Hotels International (FHI).

### About Furama Hotels International

Furama Hotels International (FHI), a Singapore-based hotel management company, is committed to providing excellent accommodation choices in the Asia Pacific region (Australia, China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Taiwan and Thailand). As one of the largest global hotel chains situated in Singapore, FHI manages hotels, villas and resorts, availing over 7000 rooms with an increasing inventory, as the company continues to expand. FHI is committed to promoting memorable guest experiences through personal service, thoughtful gestures and designs, with the guest as the priority at all times. The three brands under FHI include [Furama](#) – four-star business hotels; [FuramaXclusive Villas & Spa](#) – boutique and luxury resorts; and [FX Hotels](#) – essential service boutique hotels. For more information about FHI and the range of services, please refer to [www.furama.com](http://www.furama.com).

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