

GR8 Leisure Concept Announces Transfer of the Operation and Management of Hullett House

GR8 Leisure Concept announces the transfer of the operation and management of Hullett House with immediate effect from 14 June 2017. From the stated date onwards, the group will withdraw management of all business operations related to Hullett House; this includes both the heritage hotel and its food and beverage outlets. The group is currently in the final stages of negotiating with a potential operator on a transfer which aims to ensure the smooth transition of existing customers and employees.

Arrangements for the withdrawal of management:

Existing Employees

GR8 Leisure Concept officially announced the news to employees on 8 May 2017. All employees were informed that their employment contracts will end on 14 June 2017; this is in keeping with the stated one month notice in accordance with the Labour Legislation regulations. For those employees who have worked at Hullett House for more than two years, the company will award employee severance payment as prescribed by the Employment Ordinance. Furthermore, in addition to full remuneration, a one-off special honorarium will be conferred to employees, depending on work performance, as a token of GR8 Leisure Concept's appreciation for their continuous support and hard work.

GR8 Leisure Concept is currently exploring special arrangement options to help employees with their journey beyond Hullett House. For instance, the company is doing its best to reassign employees to the other brands of the group where possible. In cases where such movement cannot be accommodated, employee redundancy will be handled according to the Labour Legislation regulations. Ultimately, it is the company's hope that either the future operator or other industry establishments will provide appropriate vacancies to any affected employees.

Existing Clients

GR8 Leisure Concept is currently working with the potential operator to ensure minimum disruption to affected clients. In addition, the company is actively communicating with all clients in an effort to propose solutions which will allow them to hold their event on their planned dates. The company will also assist clients in searching for alternative event locations if required.

Operation of the Original Site

Future operations arrangements and development plans will be announced by a new operator at a later stage.

We regret any inconvenience caused. For any enquiries, please email hotel@hulletthouse.com.

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