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### **Record Numbers See AFTA NTIA Winners Announced**

The 2010 AFTA National Travel Industry Awards Gala Dinner was held on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July in the Grand Ballroom of the Westin Sydney.

A record number of guests attended to see the winners announced at the dinner, which was once again supported by Major Sponsor, Qantas Airways. The event was the largest held in the Westin's Grand Ballroom and guests were treated to an appearance by the Qantas Choir for the Australian National Anthem.

The evening was hosted by *Getaway* presenter, Jules Lund and incorporated a number of messages from other *Getaway* team members through the event.

The winners in all 29 award categories were congratulated for their efforts and the Hall of Fame inductees for 2010 – Singapore Airlines, Corporate Travel Management and Tourism Queensland – were congratulated on achieving this milestone.

The AFTA NTIA Hall of Fame acknowledges those persons or companies winning the same category three years in a row.

Entertainment for the evening included the fabulous quick change and dance artists, Soul Mystique and a performance by up and coming pianist, Liam Cooper.

Guests were also able to continue partying following the awards at the inaugural AFTA Party, sponsored by Singapore Airlines, complete with dueling DJs, podium dancers and a nightclub vibe.

AFTA thanks all of the sponsors and award nominees for their participation in the 2010 NTIA and looks forward to their continued support in 2011.

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Attachment:

Winners list for all categories with category sponsor

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