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AL BUSTAN PALACE, A RITZ-CARLTON HOTEL OFFERS MARRIOTT BONVOY MEMBERS EXCLUSIVE ACCESS TO THE DELIGHTS OF OPERA

Muscat, Oman –October 13th 2019: Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel has teamed up with the Royal Opera House Muscat to curate a set of spectacular experiences especially designed for enthusiasts of the performing arts. Available exclusively to Marriott Bonvoy members, there are six packages that offer members VIP access to the delights of the opera through Marriott Bonvoy Moments – the loyalty program's experiential platform – that allows members to bid for experiences using their Marriott Bonvoy points.

With less than a month left, Marriott Bonvoy members can bid their Marriott Bonvoy points through the Marriott Bonvoy Moments platform, moments.marriottbonvoy.com, for a joint performance by popular artists Najwa Karam and Marwan Khoury on 14th November, or the inimitable Bolshoi Ballet in a performance of the classic ballet Onegin on 24th January. The experience also includes private transfers to and from the Royal Opera House Muscat, a private balcony viewing of the performance, a meet and greet with the artists, all paired with a luxury stay with breakfast at the iconic Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel.

"We're thrilled to be partnering with the Royal Opera House Muscat to offer these fantastic one-of-a-kind experiences to our membersCombining the epitome of culture and arts entertainment with the ultimate in luxury hospitality, we think the collaboration is something our members will absolutely love," said Katrin Herz, General Manager at Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel. "Through Marriott Bonvoy Moments we hope to engage with our members through their passions and provide a unique and memorable experience that resonates with them. We continue to look for ways to connect with our members and inspire life's most meaningful journeys." Built on the belief that travel enriches the world and connects people, Marriott Bonvoy offers access to an extraordinary portfolio of global brands in 132 countries and territories providing endless inspiration for members to keep traveling with passion and purpose. Under one set of unified benefits, Marriott Bonvoy simplifies rewards and offers members a holistic travel experience encompassing much more than a hotel stay.

In addition to the two unique Marriott Bonvoy Moments on auction, the resort has crafted exclusive and limited edition packages available for direct reservations which include accommodation for two, transfers to the Royal Opera House Muscat and two tickets to Najwa Karam and Marwan Khoury and The Bolshoi performances. Guests can enquire and book these packages by calling, +968 24799 666

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About Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel

Tucked away between the rugged Al Hajar mountain range and the Sea of Oman, Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel is a hidden jewel amongst luxury hotels in Muscat, Oman, a beachfront retreat that welcomes guests with customs steeped in ancient traditions and contemporary comfort. From each of our 250 newly renovated luxury guest rooms and suites' private balconies, guests can gaze upon magnificent mountain, sea or garden views. They can relax on the pristine stretch of private beach or dine on its sandy carpet under the stars, in one of the hotel's three distinctive restaurants. Perfect for couples, business guests and families alike, Al Bustan Palace provides all the ingredients that will stir memories for lifetime. For more information reservations, please a or visit ritzcarlton.com/albustanpalace, join us on www.facebook.com/albustanpalace.muscat or call +968 24 799 666.

About The Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, LLC

The Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, L.L.C., of Chevy Chase, MD., part of Marriott International, Inc., currently operates more than 100 hotels and over 45 residential properties in 30 countries and territories. For more information or reservations, visit the company web site at www.ritzcarlton.com, for the latest company updates, visit news.ritzcarlton.com and to join the live conversation, use #RCMemories and follow along on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. The Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, L.L.C. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Marriott International, Inc. (NASDAQ:MAR). The Ritz-Carlton is proud to participate in Marriott Bonvoy, the new name of Marriott's travel program replacing Marriott Rewards®, The Ritz- Carlton Rewards®, and Starwood Preferred Guest® (SPG). The program offers members an extraordinary portfolio of global brands, experiences on Marriott Bonvoy Moments and unparalleled benefits including earning points toward free hotel stays and nights toward Elite status recognition. To enroll for free or for more information about the program, visit MarriottBonvoy.marriott.com.

About Marriott Bonvoy

Marriott Bonvoy is the new travel program replacing Marriott Rewards, The Ritz-Carlton Rewards and Starwood Preferred Guest (SPG) starting February 2019. Comprised of a portfolio of 30 hotel brands, members can earn and redeem points for hotel stays and accelerate the points they earn with co-branded credit cards from Emirates NBD and Mastercard® in the UAE. The program offers 120,000 destination tours and adventures on

Marriott Bonvoy Moments. When members book direct on Marriott.com they receive perks including free and enhanced Wi-Fi and exclusive member-only rates, and on the Marriott app they enjoy mobile check-in and checkout, Mobile Requests and, wherever available, Mobile Key. To enroll for free or for more information about Marriott Bonvoy, visit MarriottBonvoy.com. To download the Marriott app, go here. Travelers can also connect with Marriott Bonvoy on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.