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HMSHost Receives People Award from Amsterdam Airport Schiphol

BETHESDA, MD – Amsterdam Airport Schiphol, a major European hub, has earned a global reputation for innovation, growth and outstanding travel experiences. Every year, the airport presents its People Award to the concessionaire that best embodies exceptional service and hospitality. This year, the award went to HMSHost Corporation for *The Brasserie*, for great food and top-notch service. A second HMSHost location, *Murphy's Irish Pub*, was nominated and selected as a third place winner.

Amsterdam Airport Schiphol is home to HMSHost's largest concession program outside of the United States. HMSHost's 59 locations at Schiphol offer a world of culinary choices to hungry travelers — from popular Dutch cafés, to international favorites like Burger King, Boulangerie Paul and Sbarro, to the luxurious custom-designed seafood and wine bar *Bubbles*. The winning team of *The Brasserie* serves international passengers breakfast, lunch and dinner in this full-service location in Lounge 2. Almost 1,000 associates serve Schiphol's passengers 24 hours a day.

"We are extremely proud of this prestigious award," said Walter Seib, Managing Director of HMSHost Europe. "We are committed to our mission of 'making the traveler's day better.' This recognition will reinforce our delivery of the best service at Amsterdam Airport Schiphol and other European locations."

About HMSHost

HMSHost is world-renowned for creating customized shopping and dining spaces in travel venues. The innovative company operates in more than 100 airport locations around the globe, including 19 of the 20 busiest airports in North America. HMSHost has annual sales in excess of \$2.0 billion and employs more than 26,000 associates worldwide.

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About HMSHost Europe

The European development arm of HMSHost, one the world's leading airport shopping and dining innovators, HMSHost Europe is committed to building outstanding dining facilities in travel venues throughout Europe. A wholly owned subsidiary of Autogrill S.p.A., HMSHost and the rest of the Autogrill Group are recognized leaders in travel concessions. With sales exceeding \$4.0 billion, Autogrill is present more than 30 countries with over 4,500 points of sale in 979 locations (including 138 airports) where 51,000 employees serve over 800 million customers every year.

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