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Homewood Suites Charlotte Airport Revamps Website

CHARLOTTE, NC — January 19, 2006 — The Homewood Suites Charlotte Douglas Airport re-launched its website this week. The hotel is a member of the Hilton family and offers 102 well-appointed guest suites as well as complimentary high-speed Internet access throughout the property. The website address is www.homewoodsuitescharlotte.com and is live on the world-wide-web. The updated site features an updated look, improved navigation, and easier access to information about the hotel and surrounding area.

“When we did our annual strategic planning recently, one area of opportunity that came up was to improve our existing private website for the hotel. With more and more guests using the Internet to shop for lodging accommodations we wanted to increase our visibility on the Internet,” remarked Cindi Obermeyer, General Manager. “We’ve added new features such as a local events calendar, special information pages and new links to make a reservation. Of course we kept some of our popular features such as the monthly posting of our evening reception menu,” remarked Ms. Obermeyer.

The website for the Homewood Suites Charlotte Douglas Airport contains information about the amenities of the hotel as well as regional points of interest, businesses, leisure activities, and restaurants. Guests that book from www.homewoodsuitescharlotte.com will be re-directed to the Hilton branded website for Homewood Suites where the best rate guarantee can be obtained. In addition to guaranteeing the lowest rate available from any Internet site, the new website assures travelers that they will earn their valuable HHonors points and miles. HHonors is Hilton’s industry leading guest loyalty program that earns complimentary stays throughout the Hilton network and miles in your personal airline program.

About the Homewood Suites by Hilton – Charlotte Airport

The Homewood Suites by Hilton - Charlotte Airport has a commitment to provide exceptional service and maintain guest loyalty. The hotel offers 102 professionally decorated one and two bedroom suites, all with fully equipped kitchens. In addition to the complimentary high-speed Internet access and Welcome Home Reception, guests enjoy a hot complimentary breakfast buffet seven days a week, convenient airport shuttle service, a fitness center, pool, business center, and an onsite Suite Shop®.

Charlotte’s Homewood Suites Airport hotel participates in the industry leading Hilton HHonors Loyalty program which allows its members to DoubleDip by simultaneously accumulating both hotel points and airline miles with each qualifying stay. The Homewood Suites by Hilton – Charlotte Airport is located at 2770 Yorkmont Dr., Charlotte, NC 28208. The hotel is one mile

from the Charlotte Douglas International Airport, minutes away from downtown, and near Paramount's Carowinds theme and water park. To learn more, visit their website at www.homewoodsuitescharlotte.com where they post the monthly Welcome Home Reception menu live on the Internet. The hotel is managed by Vista Host.

About Vista Host

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