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Ocean House Ranked #4 In Travel + Leisure's World's Best Awards

WATCH HILL, R.I., July, 2012 – As announced today by Travel + Leisure, The Ocean House has been ranked #4 on their annual Top 100 Hotels in the United States readers survey. Ocean House also earned a place on the Top Hotels of the World list as the 60th best hotel. Every year Travel + Leisure recognizes the top destinations, hotels, airlines, cruise lines, river cruises, car-rental companies, and outfitters as voted by the passionate readers of T+L. Readers rank their favorites in each category on various characteristics and the results are published in the August T+L issue.

“We are thrilled to be voted onto the Top 100 list,” said Daniel Hostettler, President and Managing Director of the Ocean House. “Awards received by industry insiders are great, but when you get selected by guests who have stayed and enjoyed your property, that means so much to the staff and management.”

The Ocean House sits high on the bluffs of Watch Hill, Rhode Island, overlooking a private stretch of beach with sweeping views of the Atlantic Ocean, Montauk and Block Island. Originally opened in 1868 as a seasonal resort, the new year-round hotel and residence re-opened in June 2010 after a \$140 million reconstruction to provide guests and residents with a luxurious seaside resort experience. Inspired by the Victorian

architecture prevalent in the local homes and in the historic hotels of the early 20th century, the Ocean House evokes a timeless elegance that captures the spirit of coastal New England and its historic beachside communities, but comes with all of the amenities of a world-class luxury resort.

Guests at the Ocean House are treated to “farm to table” cuisine in both fine and casual dining venues. The 12,000 square foot Forbes Five Star OH! spa features six treatment rooms, an ocean view lap pool and a state-of-the-art fitness center. A 1,000 foot expanse of private beach provides guests with an oceanfront playground complete with staffed cabanas and an array of water sports and area activities. The Ocean House also features over 10,000 square-feet of indoor and alfresco events space to accommodate private gatherings, corporate retreats, business conferences and weddings.

About the Ocean House

Developed by Bluff Ave., LLC and decorated by Niemitz Design Group, the Ocean House is located on Little Narragansett Bay, overlooking the Atlantic Ocean, in the picturesque seaside town of Watch Hill, Rhode Island and features 49 luxury guest rooms and 23 private residences. Ocean House caters to leisure and business travelers seeking a serene, luxury beachfront resort. Ocean House is a member of the Relais & Chateaux group, an exclusive collection of 500 of the finest charming hotels and gourmet restaurants in 60 countries.

Strategically located between New York and Boston, the Ocean House is a 2½ hour drive from New York and 1½ hours from Boston, providing easy access to

their international airports, as well as additional local airports and train stations. For additional information about the Ocean House, please call (401) 315-5599 or visit

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