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The Hyland Group Celebrates Twenty-Five Years

May 25, 2010 – WASHINGTON, DC – 2010 is a momentous year for The Hyland Group as the company celebrates twenty-five years in the meetings and hospitality industry. Peter Hyland, President and Founder of The Hyland Group, set up shop in the suburbs of Washington, DC, in September 1985.

“I saw a need for a company that would provide an effective sales effort and ethical presence for independent hotels and resorts and at the same time be a valuable and responsible resource to meeting professionals and association executives,” says Hyland.

With The Breakers as its first account, The Hyland Group portfolio quickly expanded with nationally-recognized, award winning resorts. The company’s portfolio, found on www.hylandgroup.com, features an outstanding collection of properties and destinations – and is constantly expanding to provide more options for clients.

To highlight a handful of properties, we’ll start with **The Allerton Hotel Chicago**. Located on Michigan Avenue in the heart of downtown Chicago’s world famous Magnificent Mile, the newly renovated 443-room hotel is in the center of everything you want to do and see in Chicago.

The Biltmore, Miami’s National Historic Landmark hotel, is located in the heart of Coral Gables. It features luxury accommodations and exceptional facilities for corporate meetings and conventions. Highlights include the 18-hole, Donald Ross-designed golf course, tennis, Spa, fitness center, fine dining and culinary academy.

The complete resort experience can only be found at one legendary oceanfront destination – **The Breakers Palm Beach**. Versatile meeting space; cutting-edge and customer-focused conference, production and audiovisual support; and unparalleled on-site amenities ensures that every event is seamless.

Located in historic Park City, Utah, **The Canyons** boasts more than 1,100 rooms and 15,000 square feet of flexible meeting and banquet space, for groups as large as 800 or as few as 5.

Just 1.5 miles from Disney, the **Caribe Royale All-Suite Hotel & Convention Center** offers 1,218 one-bedroom suites; 120 two-bedroom villas; 150,000 square feet of meeting space; and two business centers.

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The **Galt House Hotel and Suites** features 1,290 guest rooms; 50 meeting rooms; and 124,000 square feet of meeting and exhibit space, connected by skywalk to the new Louisville Downtown Arena and Kentucky International Convention Center.

Eight-time Pinnacle Award Winner, **Foxwoods Resort Casino** and **MGM Grand at Foxwoods** feature the professionalism and style to make your meeting a huge success – offering over 150,000 square feet of meeting space, 2200 guestrooms and exceptional amenities and services.

The award-winning 480 acre **Saddlebrook Resort**, located in Tampa, Florida, boasts 95,000 square feet of flexible space, 540 rooms, 2 Arnold Palmer golf courses, 45 tennis courts, a European-style Spa, and much more.

Located in the heart of downtown Monterey, California, **Portola Hotel & Spa** offers over 50,000 square feet of meeting space adjoining the renowned Monterey Conference Center. The hotel is in the process of receiving the USGBC's LEED® Certification.

The **Town and Country Resort & Convention Center** is the largest convention and meeting complex in the western US, featuring a 14,000-square-foot day spa and fitness center, swimming pools, six dining establishments, and a golf course.

With more than 2.25 million square feet of function space, **The Venetian & The Palazzo** can host groups of 10 to 10,000 in a setting that has been honored by a multitude of accolades.

For additional information on The Hyland Group and its portfolio, please visit www.hylandgroup.com.