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**Harbor Beach Marriott Resort & Spa
Receives Prestigious 2006 Gold Key Award For 15th Year**

Secaucus, NJ – Harbor Beach Marriott Resort & Spa has been awarded the prestigious *Meetings & Conventions* Gold Key Award for 2006, marking the 15th year that the luxury resort has been honored by the industry's most discerning meeting planners. Determined by *Meetings & Conventions'* subscribers, the Annual Gold Awards were based on the overall professionalism and quality of the property. Celebrating its 29th year, the readers honored 180 domestic and 20 international hotels and resorts as Gold Key winners.

“We are thrilled to receive the prestigious Gold Key Award out of hundreds of nominated properties,” said MaryGrace McCaffrey, director of sales & marketing for Harbor Beach Marriott Resort & Spa. “This award acknowledges the level of service we pride ourselves on delivering and that our guests have come to expect.”

The four-diamond rated resort is tucked away on 16 sun-drenched oceanfront acres and is Fort Lauderdale's preeminent resort. The resort also offers 30,000 square feet of flexible indoor meeting space, 22,500 square feet of outdoor oceanfront terraces and 200,000 square feet of sparkling beach for signature events.

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MARRIOTT INTERNATIONAL, INC. (NYSE:MAR) is a leading lodging company with nearly 2,800 lodging properties in the United States and 67 other countries and territories. Marriott International operates and franchises

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