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**go2 WELCOMES ROBERT CLARK AS MANAGER, OCCUPATIONAL  
HEALTH & SAFETY TO HEAD UP NEW DIVISION**

**Vancouver** - go2 – BC's tourism industry human resource association - is pleased to announce the appointment of Robert Clark to manage go2's new Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) Division.

In January 2009, WorkSafeBC and go2 signed an agreement for go2 to develop an occupational health and safety division to promote workplace safety in the tourism and hospitality industries. A key component of the agreement is implementing a Partners in Injury and Disability Prevention Program (COR program) that will result in cost savings for tourism and hospitality employers that demonstrate safe workplaces.

In his new role, Robert will be responsible for the start-up, development and implementation of this new go2 division. His first priorities include developing an information and communication program around New and Young Worker legislation and Working Alone legislation as well as consulting with industry on OH&S training needs.

Robert comes to go2 with more than ten years of experience in human resource development, occupational health and safety as well as facility security. He has worked most recently with Great Canadian Gaming Corporation taking on responsibilities such as the implementation of a corporate health and safety program for over 5500 Great Canadian's employees in British Columbia, Ontario and Nova Scotia.

A Coordinator, COR Program is currently being recruited and Robert will work closely with this role in implementing and delivering the COR program to tourism and hospitality operators.

**About go2**

go2 is a BC's tourism and hospitality human resource association helping the industry to recruit, retain and train to support industry growth. Tourism is one of the largest resource industries in BC comprising 18,000 mostly small to medium sized businesses which directly employ over 117,900 British Columbians. Tourism is one of the most significant economic generators in BC with over \$10 billion in spending in 2007. For more information, visit [www.go2hr.ca](http://www.go2hr.ca).

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