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**go2 ANNOUNCES 2009-2010 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**Vancouver, BC** – go2 – BC's tourism industry human resource association – is pleased to announce its 2009-2010 Board of Directors. Four new directors were elected, two existing directors were re-appointed and seven directors continue into the second year of their two-year terms.

New Directors

**Steve McNally** – General Manager, Hyatt Regency Vancouver

**David Northrop** – Director of Rooms, Fairmont Chateau Whistler

**Susan Rybar** – Vice President, Visitor Experiences, Tourism British Columbia

**Caroline Schein** – Vice President, People Development, Boston Pizza International

Re-appointed Directors

**Kim Haakstad** – Executive Director, Alliance of Beverage Licensees

**Mark von Schellwitz** – Vice President, Western Canada, Canadian Restaurant and Foodservices Association

Continuing Directors

**Susan Barcham** – Director, Business Development, Oak Bay Marine Group

**Kate Dodd** – Director of Finance, Mount Washington Alpine Resort

**Rob Fussey** – Director, Urban Concept Design, Western Canada, A&W Food Service of Canada Ltd.

**Walt Judas** – Vice President, Marketing, Communications & 2010 Strategies, Tourism Vancouver

**Greg Lee** – President, Capilano University

**Ian Powell** – Managing Director, Paul's Restaurants Ltd. & GM, Inn at Laurel Point

**Rusty Noble** – Former Director, Guest Experience and Resort Operations, Kicking Horse Mountain Resort

go2 is also pleased to announce the Officers of the Board for 2009-2010:

**Chair:** Rob Fussey

**Vice Chair:** Ian Powell

**Past Chair:** Mark von Schellwitz

The go2 board represents a cross-section of BC's tourism industry including tourism operators, industry associations and educational institutions from a variety of regions of the province. The board provides leadership to support go2's mandate of assisting BC's tourism industry with workforce related issues.

**About go2:**

go2 is 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 131,000 British Columbians. For more information, visit [www.go2hr.ca](http://www.go2hr.ca).

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