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CLUB TRAVEL NAMED SOUTH AFRICA'S LEADING TRAVEL AGENCY AT THE 'OSCARS'

In an industry first Club Travel was named both South Africa's Leading Travel Agency and recognised as Africa's Leading Travel Agency for an 8th successive year by the annual World Travel Awards on Friday 5 September 2014.

The World Travel Awards, celebrating their 21st anniversary this year, are known as the 'Oscars of the travel industry' and celebrate those pushing the boundaries of excellence in the travel industry.

"A heartfelt thank you to the World Travel Awards for this recognition and to the Club Travel employees who continue to take the company to greater heights," said Wally Gaynor, Club Travel MD. "When I started this business 27 years ago with nothing more than a trestle table and an innate passion for travel, I had not the slightest idea that it would become the success it is today."

The winners are determined by votes received from travel and tourism professionals worldwide as well as the general public. The awards given to Club Travel recognise the dedication and excellence demonstrated by the one of South Africa's fastest growing travel companies.

"Innovation is the key to success and we have many exciting plans in the pipeline in our quest to improve and expand the Club Travel brand," said Gaynor.

Fellow nominees in South Africa's Leading Travel Agency category included Flight Centre SA, Harvey World Travel SA and PenTravel. In Africa's Leading Travel Agency the nominees included Flight Centre, SA; Flightsite, SA; Kuoni Travel; Satguru Travel & Tourism; Sure Giltedge Corporate Travel SA; Sure Travel SA and Thomas Cook Egypt.

The Club Travel Corporate division was nominated in 'Africa's Leading Business Travel Agency' and 'Africa's Leading Travel Management Company' categories.

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Club Travel, established in 1987, is a Level One Contributor, is owned by the Thebe Tourism Group (TTG), the first black empowerment group formed in South Africa. This award-winning travel agency is represented by 192 independent travel consultants (ITCs), nine branded ITCs, 59 affiliates, 8 branded franchises and eight corporate and leisure owned branches.

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