

**MINT RECOGNIZED FOR ITS EXCELLENCE IN BUSINESS PERFORMANCE
AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

Minor International Public Company Limited (“MINT”) is pleased to announce today that MINT has been ranked as one of the best companies by many prestigious organizations in 2017 for its excellence in business performance and sustainable development. These include inclusions in the FTSE4Good Emerging Index and the ESG100 by ThaiPat Institute and top rankings of Best CEO and Best Investor Relations in the Consumer/Discretionary sector by Institutional Investor and Thailand’s Best Companies by FinanceAsia.

MINT remains a constituent of the 2017 FTSE4Good Emerging Index for the second consecutive year. The Index is an extension to the FTSE4Good Index Series, which are designed to help investors integrate environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors into their investment decisions. The indices identify companies that better manage ESG risks and are used as a basis for tracker funds, structured products and as a performance benchmark. The ESG Ratings are used by investors who wish to incorporate ESG factors into their investment decision making processes, or as a framework for corporate engagement and stewardship.

In addition, MINT was included in the ESG100 in 2017, which comprises top 100 outstanding publicly listed companies in terms of ESG performance by ThaiPat Institute. ESG Rating unit of ThaiPat Institute, the pioneer in the development of Thailand’s corporate sustainability database, compiles the ESG100 list as the universe for sustainable investments by selecting 100 best-performing publicly listed companies in ESG areas out of 656 companies on the Stock Exchange of Thailand. Companies were assessed based on six data sources, including findings from the corporate social responsibility in the annual report, information on TISCO ESG investment fund, data used in evaluating the sustainability report awards, findings from CG scoring surveys, findings from sustainability development ratings and information on media and stakeholder analysis.

For its business excellence, MINT was ranked in the top three for Best CEO and Best Investor Relations in the Consumer/Discretionary sector by the sell side analysts in Institutional Investor’s 2017 All-Asia (ex-Japan) Executive Team rankings. The rankings by Institutional Investor, one of the world’s prestigious financial publications, were based on a survey of more than 850 sell-side analysts who were asked to name the best CEO and best investor relations of the companies in their coverage universe. The awards acknowledge excellence in senior management leadership and investor relations attributes, which include most accessible senior executives, best at providing timely and appropriate level of financial disclosure, IR team being informed and empowered to speak authoritatively on the company’s behalf, responding quickly and thoroughly to requests, hosting the most constructive conference calls/meetings and providing the highest quality corporate document and investor kit materials.

Lastly, FinanceAsia, a leading financial publishing company in Asia, ranked MINT in the top three companies in Thailand for Best Managed Companies, Most Committed to Corporate Governance and Best at Investor Relations in its 2017 Asia’s Best Managed Companies Poll. The survey was based on responses from more than 180 portfolio managers and buy-side analysts from around the world. These awards reaffirm the financial community’s recognition on the company’s outstanding management, leading standard of corporate governance and excellent investor relations practice.

William E Heinecke, Chairman and Group CEO of MINT commented, "We are honored to be recognized by the financial community for our commitment and efforts to conducting business with high standards and sustainable practice. These awards are testament to our strong execution capability and our people who greatly contribute to MINT's success today. We will maintain the high standard of business conduct and sustainable development in order to ensure the highest returns to our shareholders."

To learn more about the FTSE4Good Series, please visit www.ftserussell.com

To learn more about ThaiPat ESG100, please visit www.thaipat.esgrating.com

About Minor International:

Minor International (MINT) is a global company focused on three core businesses: restaurants, hospitality and lifestyle brands distribution. MINT is one of Asia's largest restaurant companies with over 2,000 outlets operating system-wide in 19 countries under The Pizza Company, Swensen's, Sizzler, Dairy Queen, Burger King, Thai Express, The Coffee Club, Ribs and Rumps, BreadTalk (Thailand) and Riverside brands. MINT is also a hotel owner, operator and investor with a portfolio of 155 hotels and serviced suites under the Anantara, AVANI, Oaks, Tivoli, Elewana Collection, Marriott, Four Seasons, St. Regis, Radisson Blu and Minor International brands in 24 countries across Asia Pacific, the Middle East, Africa, the Indian Ocean, Europe and South America. MINT is one of Thailand's largest distributors of lifestyle brands focusing primarily on fashion, home and kitchenware and contract manufacturing. Its brands include Gap, Banana Republic, Brooks Brothers, Esprit, Bossini, Etam, Charles & Keith, Pedro, Radley, Anello, Zwilling J.A. Henckels, Joseph and ETL Learning. Bemynt is MINT's e-commerce platform offering premium fashion and lifestyle products. For more information, please visit www.minorinternational.com.

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