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## Wins at the National Tourism Awards in Perth, WA!

Hobart's **Old Woolstore Apartment Hotel** has been awarded the prestigious **2010 Qantas Australian Tourism Award** in the category **Deluxe Accommodation**. All states and territories were represented in the category which includes properties in the four-star range. It follows success in the same category in the 2008 awards and further recognises the commitment to business and customer service excellence by management, staff and owners. The Old Woolstore was the only category winner from Tasmania for the 2010 awards.

"There are plenty of people you want to thank in a situation like this; it takes a huge amount of work to produce the results that put you in the running for a national tourism award. We thank our industry partners, our commercial partners, our customers and guests, but most of all I would like to thank our staff. This is great recognition of the constant effort we all make to provide genuine, friendly customer service while upholding the highest standards of professionalism in hospitality," Commercial Manager Ben Targett said after the presentation at Burswood in Perth.

This year's Australian Tourism Awards were presented by the National Tourism Alliance (NTA) and Tourism Council Western Australia (TCWA) and sponsored by Qantas Airways, Tourism Australia and Tourism Western Australia. Now in its 26<sup>th</sup> year, the awards night is the industry's biggest and most prestigious event of the year.

QUESTIONS?

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