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LEVEL Furnished Living Now Open

Vancouver's Newest Extended Stay Option Offers "Best of Both Worlds" to Business Travelers, Visitors Just in Time for 2010

(VANCOUVER) – LEVEL Furnished Living has opened in downtown Vancouver, offering a new "level" of service for those needing an extended stay option in the Olympic city.

LEVEL promises the "best of both worlds" to business and leisure travelers alike, offering all the creature comforts of modern condo living combined with the convenience and amenities of a modern hotel stay – all at a fraction of the price of hotel-living.

"If I had to describe LEVEL in two words, those words would be "no headache,"" says LEVEL General Manager Dan Mitchell. "For one monthly payment you get a brand new apartment in a terrific location with the services and amenities you would expect from a hotel. Whether you're relocating, working in town for a month or more, or just taking an extended break, our goal is to make your stay as hassle free as possible."

Onni, one of British Columbia's premier new homebuilders, developed LEVEL. Originally conceived of as a rental building, Onni Executive Vice President Chris Evans says the combination of the coming Olympics and the growing need for longer-stay accommodation options in Vancouver made the transition to a "serviced apartment" building the obvious choice.

"All of the great business cities in the world have extended stay options of this quality, and Vancouver is ready for it," says Evans. "LEVEL is already becoming something of a "Hollywood North" hot spot with film companies being some of our first clients! This contemporary, fresh, comfortable environment is just what the market was waiting for."

All 187 furnished suites in this brand-new concrete building have everything a business traveler could hope for – internet, cable TV, phone, fully equipped kitchens, air conditioning, in-suite laundry and balconies.

Building amenities include meeting and event spaces (with a full catering kitchen), a rooftop salt-water pool and hot tub, as well as a fitness centre operated by Level 10 Fitness.

There's a professional 24-hour concierge to assist with everything from grocery delivery to dinner reservations, as well as weekly housekeeping. And, like every great hotel, LEVEL ensures both privacy and security.

Mitchell says LEVEL is also working with local businesses and suppliers to put together a “menu” of extra services guests can choose from to make their stay or transition easier. “At LEVEL we're committed to providing our guests with whatever domestic or business service they need to make their stay more comfortable. We're thrilled to finally open the doors!”

LEVEL offers studio, 1-bedroom, 2-bedroom or executive townhouse suite options for a month or more starting at \$3,150/month. www.stayinglevel.com

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