



## **For Immediate Release**

### **Howard Johnson Canada announces new property in Vernon, British Columbia**

Oakville, ON (August 20, 2010) – Howard Johnson announced today the addition of the Howard Johnson Inn – Vernon, BC to their Canadian franchise system.

The property is conveniently located just off Highway 97 at 4006 32nd St. in Vernon, BC.

“We are delighted to welcome the new Howard Johnson Inn – Vernon, BC to our franchise family,” stated Glen Blake, president of Howard Johnson Canada. “We are also very excited to expand our brand within the Okanogan Valley area. We now have three properties located along Highway 97: Enderby, BC, Vernon, BC and Kelowna, BC. This is a great step for our franchise and our future guests.”

The property features wireless internet, complimentary continental breakfast, heated indoor pool, sauna, fitness room, whirlpool and free parking. It is also conveniently located near several popular restaurants, the Vernon convention centre, curling rink and performing arts theatre.

The property is currently undergoing renovations to meet Howard Johnson standards and is scheduled to open in September 2010.

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