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Additional corporate information may be found on the Choice Hotels International, Inc. web site, which may be accessed at <a href="https://www.choicehotels.com">www.choicehotels.com</a>.

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