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Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa receives fifth consecutive AAA Four Diamond Award

Dana Point, California (November 17, 2009) – Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa, A Marriott Resort has earned its fifth consecutive AAA Four Diamond Award, cementing the ocean-side resort's position as one of Southern California's premiere vacation destinations.

Embodying the California state of being, Laguna Cliffs features 377 state-of-the-art rooms, 15 deluxe suites, 50,000 sq. ft. of versatile meeting space, the award-winning VUE restaurant and full-service spa and pool. The perfect destination of business or pleasure, the resort is nestled among the cliffs of Dana Point with stunning views of the Pacific Ocean.

“A fifth consecutive AAA Four Diamond Award highlights our on-going commitment to being the quintessential California resort and delivering luxurious accommodations at reasonable prices,” said Jim Samuels, General Manager of Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa. “We commend our staff and management team for their dedication to excellence that is worthy of this recognition from one of the top travel associations in the country.”

AAA defines hotels that receive Four Diamond Award status as properties that “are upscale in all areas” with accommodations that “are progressively more refined and stylish.” The ranking shows that Laguna Cliffs has “an extensive array of amenities combined with a high degree of hospitality, service and attention to detail.”

For more information on Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa, A Marriott Resort, please visit www.lagunacliffs.com.

About Laguna Cliffs, A Marriott Resort:

Set high on a bluff overlooking the Pacific Ocean, the AAA Four Diamond Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa takes full advantage of its ocean view location, overlooking the California Coastline, Doheny State Beach parkland and Dana Point Harbor, a popular attraction offering 2,500 yacht

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slips. The picturesque red-roofed Victorian-style resort appeals to both business and leisure travelers who enjoy commanding views of vast white beaches, glorious sunsets and the area's quaint seaport village. Featuring 377 beautifully appointed guest rooms, including 15 deluxe suites, the pristine accommodations at the Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa, A Marriott Resort comfortably blend coastal elegance and a sunny décor that reflects the spirit of Dana Point. The 14,000-square-foot Spa at Laguna Cliffs embraces the relaxed essence of Orange County with specialty massages, facials and body treatments in its beautifully appointed ten treatment rooms. Guests can relax in two heated swimming pools with ocean views, enjoy two lighted tennis courts or play a round of golf at one of five local courses. For groups, more than 50,000 square feet of indoor/outdoor meeting space make any event a superb experience. The Southern California in your mind is right here at Laguna Cliffs Resort & Spa.

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