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BUCUTI & TARA BEACH RESORT DELIVERS ENCORE PERFORMANCE FOR NATIONAL ENERGY GLOBE AWARD

EAGLE BEACH, Aruba – July 8, 2019, 2019 – For the second straight year, Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort has earned the distinction of being the National Energy Globe winner of Aruba. The Eagle Beach resort is recognized for being the first hotel in the Caribbean to achieve carbon neutrality.

The Energy Globe Foundation is located in Austria. Founded in 1999 by the Austrian energy pioneer Wolfgang Neumann, the Energy Globe Awards are one of today's most prestigious environmental accolades. This year, 187 countries submitted more than 2000 projects for consideration, far outpacing the annual average of 800 projects in years past.



In 2018, Bucuti & Tara won the National Energy Globe Award for Aruba. Since award submissions are submitted the year prior, the resort was on the cusp of becoming carbon neutral. A brief synopsis on the Energy Globe website shares a glimpse of the heavily documented achievement of finally reaching carbon neutrality.

As the National Energy Globe Award recipient, Bucuti & Tara is now a contender for the World Energy Globe Award set to be announced later this year.

"We express our warmest congratulations to you and are looking forward to more projects in such a high quality that help our earth to remain livable," shared Wolfgang Neumann, founder of the Energy Globe Foundation.

In the spirit of sharing key learnings and sustainability best practices, Ewald Biemans, owner/CEO of Bucuti & Tara has been busy presenting with audiences on-island and internationally. From June 23-26, Biemans was asked to be an expert speaker at the Sustainable & Social Tourism Summit in Mexico. The event brings together world leaders in the tourism sector, tourism entrepreneurs, officials from the Mexican and World Tourism Secretariats, sustainability directors of industry companies, researchers, social entrepreneurs and digital influencers, to discuss and share experiences to address current and future tourism challenges.

To learn more, visit Bucuti.com.

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Captions

Aruba_NationalEnergyGlobe2019 Certificate proclaiming Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort as the 2019 National Energy Globe Winner for Aruba

Bucuti+Tara_SustainabilityPresentation Ewald Biemans, owner/CEO of Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort and noted environmentalist, giving a recent presentation at the 2019 Sustainable & Social Tourism Summit in Mexico

NationalWinner2019_Aruba Official seal noting Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort as the 2019 National Energy Globe Winner for Aruba

Bucuti+Tara-Beach-aerial Signature exterior, aerial image of Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort

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About Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort

Declared the first CarbonNeutral[®]/net zero hotel in the Caribbean in August 2018, Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort is one of the Top 10 Hotels for Romance in the World, No. 1 Hotel in the Caribbean, No. 1 Hotel for Romance in the Caribbean (fourth straight year) and No. 1 Hotel for Service in the Caribbean. Aruba's premier adults-only boutique resort is led by celebrated hotelier and environmentalist, Ewald Biemans, named by Caribbean Journal as the 2017 Caribbean Hotelier of the Year. The resort is nestled on the powdery white sands of Eagle Beach, home to protected sea turtles and named one of the "Dream Beaches of the World."

Bucuti offers 104 well-appointed guestrooms, suites and penthouses; sunbeds and shade for every guest; fresh water infinity pool; spa; WiFi; and complimentary iPad with Skype for use during stay. Award-winning healthy dining is enjoyed at oceanfront Elements, Tara Lounge and private beach dining. Reserved exclusively for guests and their friends, the open-air SandBar on the beach offers top-shelf cocktails and live music daily along with the Caribbean's first Healthy Hour. The resort is TAG Approved[®] as a LGBTQ-friendly hotel. Bucuti, a worldwide sustainable tourism leader, holds eco-certifications of LEED Silver, Green Globe Platinum, ISO 14001 and Travelife Gold and was named the World's Most Sustainable Hotel/Resort in 2016 by Green Globe.

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