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Mr. Stan Soroka  
General Manager  
Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa  
1000 Conquistador Avenue  
Fajardo, Puerto Rico 00738

Dear Mr. Soroka

Congratulations! It is a great pleasure to let you know that **Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa** has been named to the Travel + Leisure Family Tropical 10, recognizing the best family-friendly resorts in the Caribbean.

Featured in the Spring 2007 issue, the T+L Family Tropical 10 list was selected by Travel + Leisure's affluent and influential readers who are among the most discriminating travelers in the world. **Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa's** inclusion is a reflection of the dedication to excellence you and your staff maintain.

In recognition of this achievement, we are sending you the enclosed frameable certificate to display at your property. In addition, we have included a logo and some material to help you leverage this honor in your marketing efforts:

- Travel + Leisure Family's Spring 2007 issue
- A copy of the press release that was distributed nationally on February 16, 2007
- A CD with the T+L Family Tropical 10 logo for inclusion in your advertising, direct mail, press releases, internal documents, and stationery
- The methodology for the T+L Family Tropical 10 and the World's Best Awards survey

*Please contact Sheila Kennedy, at (646) 822-0116 or [sheila.m.kennedy@aexp.com](mailto:sheila.m.kennedy@aexp.com), for more information on using the logo in your materials.*

We congratulate **Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa** once again on joining the ranks of the most family-friendly resorts in the Caribbean and encourage you to display your distinction as a 2007 winner.

Best regards,



Julie A. McGowan  
Senior Vice President/Publisher

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**2007 BEST FAMILY RESORTS  
IN THE CARIBBEAN**

**Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## ***TRAVEL + LEISURE FAMILY* REVEALS 10 FAVORITE CARIBBEAN RESORTS FOR SPRING 2007**

New York, NY (February 16, 2007) – **Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa** in Las Croabas, Puerto Rico tops the *Travel + Leisure Family* list of the most family-friendly Caribbean resorts revealed in the magazine's Spring 2007 issue. From the rainforest in Puerto Rico to golf courses in Nevis and iguana safaris in the Virgin Islands, there is a destination to satisfy every member of the family. The list, selected by those who know best – the readers, is also now featured on [www.TLFamily.com](http://www.TLFamily.com).

### ***TRAVEL+LEISURE FAMILY'S 2007 Top 10 Caribbean Resorts***

- 1. Las Casitas Village & Golden Door Spa**, Las Croabas, Puerto Rico
- 2. Beaches Turks & Caicos Resort & Spa**, Providenciales, Turks & Caicos Islands
- 3. Four Seasons Great Exuma at Emerald Bay**, Bahamas
- 4. Atlantis Paradise Island**, Paradise Island, Bahamas
- 5. Paradisus Puerto Rico Resort**, Rio Grande, Puerto Rico
- 6. Four Seasons Resort Nevis**, Charlestown, Nevis
- 7. Aruba Marriott Resort & Stellaris Casino**, Palm Beach, Aruba
- 8. Round Hill Hotel & Villas**, Montego Bay, Jamaica
- 9. Beaches Negril Resort & Spa**, Negril, Jamaica
- 10. Westin St. John Resort & Villas**, St. John, USVI

For more information on these winning resorts and other family adventure ideas, visit [www.TLFamily.com](http://www.TLFamily.com).

*Travel + Leisure Family* editors are available for interviews—contact Maura Duggan at 212-642-1921 or Liz Marsh at 212-382-5684.

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## METHODOLOGY

### Travel + Leisure Family Rankings

Rankings are based on reader evaluations collected in Travel + Leisure's 2006 World's Best Awards survey. Readers were given the option to rate resorts on how well they cater to families, using a scale of 1 to 5, where "5" means excellent and "1" means poor. Scores are indexed averages of evaluations, rounded to the nearest hundredth of a point.

### World's Best Awards Survey

A questionnaire developed by the editors of Travel + Leisure in association with Harris Interactive was available to Travel + Leisure subscribers at [www.tlworldsbest.com](http://www.tlworldsbest.com) during the first quarter of 2006. Respondents were asked to rate hotels, islands, airlines, travel destinations, accommodations, services, and modes of transportation on multiple characteristics. Respondents reported where they had traveled to worldwide and how, and they rated only the attributes that were relevant to their

recent travel experiences. The scores are indexed averages of responses concerning the applicable characteristics.

