

## Doubletree Hotel Boston-Downtown Earns Energy Star from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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The Doubletree(R) Hotel Boston-Downtown is proud to announce that they have earned the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) prestigious ENERGY STAR(R), the national symbol for protecting the environment through superior energy performance. Located in the heart of Boston's Chinatown and downtown Theater District, the 268-room hotel is operated by Corcoran Jennison and managed by Hilton Hotels Corporation.

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In the U.S., energy loss from commercial buildings represents almost 18 percent of our greenhouse gas emissions. According to the EPA, Americans, with the help of ENERGY STAR, saved \$12 billion and prevented greenhouse gas emissions equal to those from 23 million vehicles in 2005 alone. The EPA reports that more than 3,200 buildings have earned the ENERGY STAR since in 1999.

"The Doubletree Hotel Boston-Downtown is proud to accept the EPA's ENERGY STAR in recognition of our energy efficiency efforts," said Stephen Pole, hotel general manager. "As a business that firmly believes in caring about our employees, our hotel guests and the community we serve, each of our team members that represent the hotel are making individual and collective commitments towards environmental stewardship as a result of this achievement."

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