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Chi Hotels' Carroll Re-Elected to Africa Travel Association Board

Glenn Carroll, senior vice president, sales and marketing, for Chi Hotels and Resorts, was re-elected to the International Board of Directors of the Africa Travel Association (ATA) at its 35th International Conference held in Banjul, The Gambia, May 17 to 21. In 2009, Chi opened its first property in Egypt, the four-star, 351-room Tiran Island Hotel in Sharm el Sheikh. Chi plans to open a five-star Corinthia Hotel in 2011, and the two will form the Corinthia Beach Resort Sharm el Sheikh. The property is owned by Abdulhafiz Ali Mansouri's Cyrene Tourism Investment Corporation of Egypt. Chi Hotels & Resorts is indeed expanding in Africa. African properties include The Ramada Plaza Tunis in Tunisia and the five-star Corinthia Hotel Tripoli in Libya. Pipeline projects in Africa include a Wyndham hotel in [Morocco](#) and a second Corinthia Hotel in Libya. Chi is also exploring several other hotel management propositions throughout the continent.

Based in Malta, Chi Hotels & Resorts is a hotel management company that provides technical assistance and management services to hotel owners worldwide. Chi is the exclusive operator and developer for the luxury Corinthia Hotels brand as well as the Wyndham and Ramada Plaza brands in Europe, Africa and The Middle East. Chi draws on a heritage of over 48 years. Corinthia Hotels is a brand of luxury hotels in the Czech Republic, Hungary, Libya, Malta, Portugal and Russia founded by the Pisani family of Malta in the 1960s. For information, visit www.corinthia.com.

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