NEW SPLASH ISLAND WATER PARK SET TO MAKE WAVES AT TRADEWINDS ISLAND GRAND RESORT TO OPEN FLOATING WATER PARK IN GULF OF MEXICO

WHO: The TradeWinds Island Grand Resort – a beachfront resort located directly on

the Gulf of Mexico on St. Pete Beach, just 30 minutes from Tampa in Florida.

WHAT: TradeWinds is creating a big splash this spring with the addition of the Splash

Island Water Park, a 20,000-square-foot water park and playground floating in the Gulf of Mexico just 60 feet off the resort's sandy shoreline. A perfect accompaniment to the popular three-story High Tide Slide on the beach, the water park will offer more than 11 fun-filled features – from jumping and climbing, to relaxing and sunning. The park will have certified lifeguards on duty, and all guests will be required to wear life jackets. The water park features include:

Summit Express – Includes a slide, climbing side and a bounce cave

Free Fall – Slightly smaller than the Summit, with a large enclosed splash zone for playing or relaxing

Super Tramp & The Rebound – Two large trampolines for bouncing and launching in the green Gulf waters

Jungle Joey – Climbing fun, complete with mini-slide, climbing apex and ladder log

Rockit – Huge, inflatable island, with seating for four and room for more to rock and roll on the water

Revolution – In slide mode, guests climb to the top using three different routes; in rocker mode, it becomes a giant see-saw for up to 10 people

Fiesta Loungers – Large loungers immersed in the water providing a place to cool off and chill out

Splashmats & Runways – Situated throughout the park, the splashmats and runways allow for running, playing and sunning

Island Rafts – Located in the free swim area, oversized rafts that can accommodate up to four for kicking back and relaxing in the Florida sun

WHEN: The TradeWinds Splash Island Water Park is scheduled to open on March 17,

2011. It will be open to the public, but parking at the hotel is reserved for

registered guests only. TradeWinds Splash Island Water Park will be open daily,

weather permitting.

COST: Pricing for guests begins at \$16; non-guests begin at \$25.

WEB SITE: www.JustLetGo.com/Waterpark

WHERE:

The TradeWinds Island Grand is located on the unspoiled white sand beaches of Florida's West Coast, just 30 minutes from Tampa International Airport. The TradeWinds Island Resorts – TradeWinds Island Grand and Sandpiper Suites – offer access to two great properties in one, with limitless beachfront recreation, sumptuous dining, and an abundance of activities and amenities for both families and couples looking to "just let go."

RESERVATIONS:

For reservations and information, call toll-free (866) JUST LET GO (587-8538), visit www.JustLetGo.com or contact a travel professional.

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