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THE LANDMARK MANDARIN ORIENTAL, HONG KONG DEBUTS SODASHI , HONG KONG'S FIRST COMPLETELY CHEMICAL-FREE SPA RANGE

HONG KONG, 23 April 2013 - From late May 2013, <u>The Landmark Mandarin Oriental</u>, <u>Hong Kong</u> will debut a truly 100% chemical-free spa and skincare range – Sodashi exclusively in Hong Kong. Sodashi proves that 100% chemical-free skincare and therapies can be luxurious and do achieve exceptional results.

<u>The Oriental Spa at The Landmark Mandarin Oriental</u>, recently awarded Asia & Australasia's 'Hotel Spa of the Year' at *The World Spa & Wellness Awards*, will offer an authentic chemical-free range of high performance products and exquisite signature treatments, delivered by a master team of therapists to ensure skin is dramatically regenerated and a deep sense of well-being is imparted to spirit and mind. Guests will also enjoy the luxurious, unadulterated amenities of Sodashi in-room, and can indulge in an All-Natural Afternoon Tea at MO Bar. Crafted with 26 hand-selected ingredients to heal one's body from within, the hotel's new afternoon tea completes a truly holistic and authentic well-being journey.

Greg Liddell, General Manager of The Landmark Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong said, "We are thrilled to partner with Sodashi to bring the world's finest chemical-free spa range to Hong Kong. The products are effective and pleasurable to use, and will no doubt delight and satisfy our guests."

Megan Larsen, Sodashi Founder explained, "Globally there is a growing demand for effective chemical-free skincare that delivers real anti-ageing results. At Sodashi we blend therapeutic-grade natural ingredients to formulate high performance skin care. If we can't make it naturally, naturally we don't make it. The results are extraordinary."

"We are delighted to be working with the award-winning Landmark Mandarin Oriental and are excited about creating an all-natural experience for the hotel's discerning guests," she added.

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Ayurvedic inspired, Sodashi is a Sanskrit word that translates to wholeness, purity and radiance. Its products are formulated using only therapeutic-grade natural ingredients and contain no synthetic ingredients or preservatives. Applying a holistic approach to health and wellness, and offering Sodashi's most powerful de-ageing formula, Samadara, The Landmark Mandarin Oriental will create personalized and unique experiences including four major highlights.

SamadaraTM Age-Defying Facial

105 minutes HKD2,200 Monday to Thursday HKD 2,350 Friday to Sunday

Combining a unique alchemy of pure plant ingredients with the power of rose quartz crystals, this signature treatment at The Oriental Spa reawakens the skin's own natural healing energies to deliver exceptional results. In 105 minutes this powerful therapy penetrates the deepest layers of the skin to turn back time, intensely hydrating and nourishing the skin, visibly increasing firmness and elasticity and diminishing fine lines; delivering a radiant youthful glow.

Full Body Skin Renewal

60 minutes HKD1,100 Monday to Thursday HKD1,250 Friday to Sunday

Renew mind, body and soul. Guests can choose from two therapeutic body exfoliants: the Body Balance Himalayan Salt with sweet orange, to boost circulation, detoxify and remineralise the body; or the more gentle Joboba Body Polish to soften, smooth and hydrate the skin. Sodashi's aromatic Deep Relax or Enlivening Body Lotions will be massaged onto the skin to stimulate circulation and provide long lasting hydration.

MO Bar x Sodashi's All-Natural Afternoon Tea

June 2013 HKD260 Monday to Friday HKD280 Saturday and Sunday

The Landmark Mandarin Oriental will take its signature branded afternoon tea to the next level debuting the region's first all-natural afternoon tea menu at MO Bar. Executive Chef Sidney Schutte has hand selected 26 all-natural ingredients to craft 10 afternoon tea delicacies designed to boost well-being from within.



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The All-Natural Afternoon Tea has been designed to ensure seamless digestion, promote, remineralization and detoxification, boost skin radiance and provide an uplift in mood. Items include: Tartlet filled with Lavender Panna Cotta and Rhubarb Compote to help with relaxation; Marinated Mini Heirloom Tomato Skewer with Artichoke Mousse & Green Olive seasoned with Himalayan Rock Salt to remineralize the body a Cupcake made from Raw Organic Chocolate, Banana & Extra Virgin Olive Oil to uplift the spirits and a Samadara Rose Quartz shaped Crispy Almond Biscuit with Strawberry Mousse decorated with Rose Petals designed to boost skin radiance.

This delightful afternoon tea includes a three-tier tea set, a delectable cake buffet and a choice of JING tea or coffee. On Saturdays and Sundays, tea comes with the hotel's weekend dessert buffet. All guests will receive a chemical-free Sodashi gift with the tea set (while stocks last).

In-room Indulgence

Combined with the comforts of home, the sleek and luxurious guest rooms of The Landmark Mandarin Oriental will now also offer unadulterated amenities of Sodashi. Personal comfort and environmental sustainability are both important to the hotel, and the dedicated range of shampoo, conditioner, soap and body lotion has been designed to provide pure sensory indulgence and a sense of wellbeing, and will complement the hotel's stunning glass-walled bathrooms and seven-foot round bathtubs.

For reservations at the spa, please contact The Oriental Spa at 2132 0011 or visit http://www.mandarinoriental.com/landmark/spa/ for more information. Reservations for afternoon tea are recommended and guests can book on +852 2132 0077 or via email at lmhkg-mobar@mohg.com. All prices are subject to 10% service charge.

For room reservations please call The Landmark Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong directly on +852 2132 0088 or e-mail lmhkg-reservations@mohg.com, or through Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group's worldwide sales and reservation offices or the Group's direct on-line reservations service at www.mandarinoriental.com.



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About The Landmark Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong

Intimate, contemporary and ideally placed in the vortex of Hong Kong's financial and luxury shopping districts, The Landmark Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong sets the standard for personal service and stylish sophistication. State-of-the-art technology compliments alluring interiors in all 113 spacious rooms and suites, each one a tranquil retreat for business and leisure travellers. Chef Richard Ekkebus helms the kitchen at two Michelin-starred <u>Amber</u> restaurant and world renowned musical talents play in the unparalleled exclusivity of <u>MO Bar</u>, equally popular on Sundays for its indulgent lobster lunch. Escape Hong Kong's urban bustle at The Oriental Spa with rejuvenating Yoga and Pilates plus the pure pleasures of exclusive facials, body treatments and award winning Signature Treatments. For more information and reservations visit <u>www.mandarinoriental.com/landmark</u>.

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