



S E N T R Y

Hospitality

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Re: Gary Bedian

To whom it may concern:

By way of introduction, I am one of the two owners of Sentry Hospitality, Ltd. and Executive Vice President of our company. My primary day-to-day responsibility at Sentry is overseeing the Operations activities of our managed properties. All General Managers report to me.

In my position, I have had the opportunity to work with Mr. Gary Bedian in his role as the Asset Manager & Development Manager for NAMCO Capital, at the Crowne Plaza Niagara Falls, the CalNeva Resort & Spa, both of which Sentry has managed since early 2005, and the development of the Riverwinds Resort & Conference Center.

I have found Mr. Bedian to be unique and exceptional in his ability to bring ownership and management together in the common goal of providing outstanding service to our customers while at the same time meeting and exceeding ownership's profitability expectations.

My observation is that Mr. Bedian has been able to accomplish this often elusive and difficult combination of successes due to his command of several skills: knowledge, communication, tenacity and – most important – his integrity. He consistently has been able to gain the confidence and respect of our General Managers and their Executive Committee members. He has worked closely with Management in keeping them clearly informed of Ownership's goals. He has effectively communicated Management's needs to Ownership necessary to accomplish these goals. And whenever there was conflict, Mr. Bedian has always been straight forward in his method of resolving them to a successful conclusion. He has done all of these things plus maintain good relations between Ownership and Management.

In conclusion, I can confidently say that Mr. Bedian is one of the most professional and well-rounded Asset Managers I have had the pleasure of working with during my 35 years in the hospitality industry.

Yours truly,

William H. Jackson
Executive Vice President