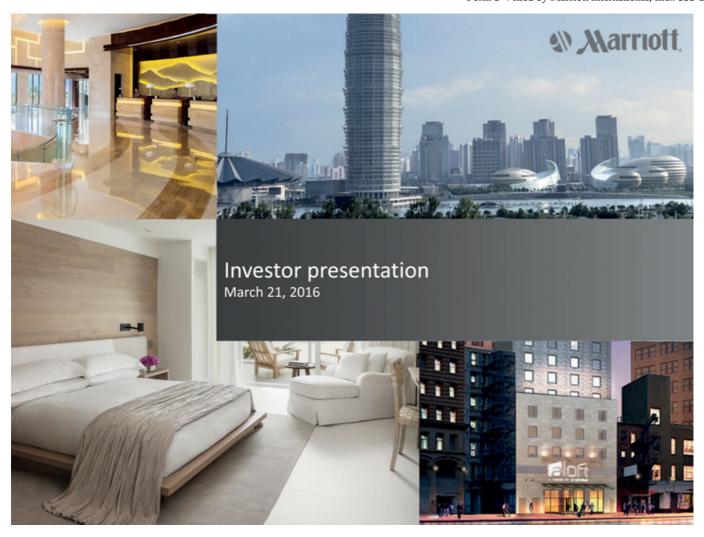
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Forward-Looking Statements



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Overview of Transaction



- Starwood and Marriott have signed an amended merger agreement with revised terms:
 - Increased cash consideration to \$21.00 for every share of Starwood common stock
 - New exchange ratio of 0.80 shares of Marriott common stock for each share of Starwood common stock (approximately 20 million fewer shares than original agreement)
- Total consideration to Starwood shareholders of \$79.53* per share, or \$13.6 billion
- Targeted annual general and administrative cost synergies increased to \$250 million run-rate within two years after extensive due diligence and joint integration planning
- Excluding any benefit from incremental cost savings beyond the \$250 million or revenue synergies, expect adjusted EPS to be roughly neutral in 2017 and 2018
- Expect to retain existing investment grade rating with strong cash flow generation

Creates world's largest lodging company with significant economies of scale and most powerful loyalty program in travel

* MAR March 18, 2016 closing price of \$73.16; excludes value of timeshare business

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Process Timeline and Next Steps



- Expect to update Form S-4 with a Form 8-K by March 25
- Special stockholder meetings rescheduled to April 8; record date remains February 2
- Cleared pre-merger antitrust review in U.S. and Canada; approvals from the EU and China are pending
- Closing continues to be expected mid-2016



Investment Highlights



- Creates world's largest lodging company with 5,700 hotels and 1.1 million rooms in over 100 countries
- 30 brands including particularly strong positions in luxury, lifestyle and select service segments
- Economies of scale allow company to compete aggressively and better respond to technology disruptors
- Marriott Rewards and Starwood Preferred Guest create the most powerful loyalty program in travel
- Significant revenue and cost synergies
- Attractive financial profile with investment grade balance sheet and significant free cash flow



Opportunities to Create Value



- Enhanced loyalty programs will increase access to new customers, create opportunities for new partnerships, and provide greater competiveness in the digital marketplace
- Sales integration will benefit existing Marriott hotels through exposure to Starwood's brand-loyal, affluent guests, and benefit Starwood hotels through Marriott's expertise in corporate, group and mid-market accounts
- 3. 30 brands positioned against distinct and profitable customer segments
- High confidence in achieving general and administrative cost synergies
- 5. Accelerate rooms growth in underpenetrated markets
- 6. Attractive balance sheet and significant cash flow
- Enhance competitiveness of Starwood's brands



1 Loyalty Programs



Near term

 We expect to run parallel loyalty programs during the integration, maintaining existing member benefits while also building bridges between the programs to enhance member experience

Long term – a combined platform

- Provide members with unprecedented choice, value and access
- Position us to compete more aggressively in the digital marketplace
- Benefit from SPG's expertise with affluent consumers in the lifestyle segment
- Benefit from Marriott's long-standing relationships with frequent business travelers across a broad brand portfolio
- Enhance our understanding of customer travel preferences, further personalizing the guest experience
- Introduce new partnerships to drive greater member engagement
- Increase competitiveness with other co-branded bank cards

= Meaningful growth in membership and unparalleled loyalty

Marriott should benefit from:

- Exposure to Starwood's brand loyal, affluent and Gen Y consumers
- The addition of St. Regis to Marriott's specialized luxury global sales team

Starwood should benefit from:

- Inclusion in Marriott's Convention and Resort Network and access to Marriott's customer database
- Marriott's preference with corporate accounts and streamlined negotiation processes
- Marriott's deployment against U.S. mid-market accounts, as well as global accounts

<u>Together</u>, we should have greater account coverage and penetration and produce more satisfied customers



Brand Integration



Our broad portfolio of brands can be uniquely positioned against distinct and profitable customer segments. A few examples:

St. Regis

Strong brand with limited distribution. Great growth potential especially in Asia

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• Fills a white space opportunity for Marriott at a lower tier than EDITION. Significant opportunities to leverage capabilities and resources across the luxury/lifestyle space (e.g., expertise in bar/nightlife)

Element

- Lifestyle product in the extended stay select service space that has tremendous potential and a white space for Marriott
- With size and scale, Element could be an interesting alternative in the housing rental services space (e.g., Airbnb, Home Away)

AC by Marriott and Aloft

- Both brands have broad appeal to younger and experiential travelers
- · AC by Marriott is slightly more sophisticated given its European roots and design aesthetic
- Aloft is a bit more playful (think pool tables and pop art), appealing to customers in both urban and suburban locations

The broad distinct portfolio of brands should help the loyalty program achieve first choice preference beyond what any other program can deliver

- The Marriott and Starwood management teams have been working together extensively since November to prepare for integration and implementation of cost saving efforts for the combined company
- The teams have met multiple times a week across disciplines, and have identified tangible additional areas of cost synergies
- Total cost synergies have been raised from a pre-tax run-rate figure of \$250 million up from \$200 million; we expect these synergies to be fully achieved within two years post close





Unit Growth Opportunity



Marriott believes there are significant opportunities for growth across the entire portfolio, including the following:



 Customers and Marriott's partners continue to have strong appetite for luxury. Ritz-Carlton has achieved record global growth over the past five years



 Autograph Collection has already reached nearly 100 hotels in an extraordinarily rapid launch. The addition of Luxury Collection solidifies the leadership position of the combined company in the rapidly growing affiliated independent segment



- 2015 was a record year for Marriott's North American Select Service Development team, with over 50,000 signed rooms
- The recent launch of new lifestyle-focused platforms has been instrumental in driving record signings, as partners increasingly focus on these brands
- Aloft and Element are well positioned to take advantage of the breadth of Marriott's partner community and their growing desire for lifestyle brands



- Higher cash component of consideration improves efficiency of capital structure; reduces use of valuable Marriott equity
- We remain committed to being investment grade. We expect leverage level at closing will be 3.6x adjusted debt to Adjusted EBITDAR, and within our 3.0x to 3.25x target by year-end 2016
- Asset-light model and appropriate leverage ensure long-term sustainability of cash flow
- Disposition of assets should generate \$1.5 billion to \$2.0 billion after-tax over the next 2 to 3 years





Enhance Competitiveness of Starwood's Brands



- Marriott's worldwide RevPAR index premium of 113% is driven by its popular loyalty program, strong group and corporate sales organization, broad hotel distribution, brand strength, and operational excellence. Applying these capabilities, plus the power of the combined organization, should enhance Starwood's RevPAR and deliver stronger returns to owners and franchisees
- Properties should also see lower costs as they benefit from shared service operating structures and synergies, such as marketing, reservations, and procurement
- Starwood's unit growth should benefit from Marriott's strong owner and franchisee relationships
- For Sheraton, we intend to build on the brand's strong international reputation and the Sheraton 2020 plan to drive owner returns and new rooms growth
 - Revenue and cost savings noted above should improve brand economics
 - With improved brand economics, we are optimistic that incremental owner investment will be justified
 - Hotel deletions are likely
 - Marriott has a reputation for successfully repositioning significant brands and has the unique know-how, tools and processes to make Sheraton successful



- Marriott reiterates guidance for comparable systemwide RevPAR growth of 2% to 4% for Q1 2016 and 3% to 5% for full year 2016
- Year-to-date through February, constant dollar RevPAR at Marriott's comparable systemwide hotels increased:
 - 3.4% in North America
 - 3.9% outside North America
 - 3.5% worldwide
- Marriott also anticipates its gross worldwide rooms will increase 8% gross, or 7% net, for full year 2016
- STR projects that U.S. lodging demand will continue to outpace supply through at least the next few years
 - 2.3% and 2.1% projected demand growth in 2016 and 2017, respectively
 - 1.7% and 1.9% projected supply growth in 2016 and 2017, respectively

Marriott only; does not include the impact of the Starwood transaction



Advisors

Lazard and Citigroup are serving as financial advisors to Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide and Deutsche Bank Securities is the financial advisor to Marriott International. Cravath, Swaine & Moore is serving as legal counsel to Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide and Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher is serving as legal counsel to Marriott International on the transaction.

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