

NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

**Lough Eske Castle wins 'Best Luxury Country Hotel in the World'
for the third year running**



September 2011: For the third year in a row, Lough Eske Castle has been awarded the coveted 'Global Luxury Hotel Award for Best Luxury Country Hotel in the World 2011'.

The World Luxury Hotel Awards are accepted as the pinnacle of achievement for Luxury Hotels worldwide. The award was established as a celebration of ultimate achievement in luxury hospitality.

The five-star Lough Eske Castle is located just outside Donegal Town, nestled within 43-acres of forest woodland hugging the shores of Lough Eske. Boasting 95 spacious guestrooms, an Aromatherapy Associates Spa and swimming pool, Cedars Restaurant, two bars and over 6,000 sq ft of conference and banqueting space the hotel is redefining the meaning of luxury in the North-West of Ireland.

Winning this award is a great testament to the fine service and luxury provided by the hotel. "To win this award is a huge endorsement," says Jeroen Quint, GM of Lough Eske Castle, "not just of the first-class facilities and surroundings available at Lough Eske Castle, Solis Hotel & Spa but also of the exceptional service consistently offered by each and every member of the team- the majority of whom come from the local area. We were already incredibly proud of our offering here in Donegal but to be selected for this global award three years in a row is worldwide recognition of the quality offering we have consistently made available here in the North West since opening in 2008. It is a huge honour to be named the world's best luxury country hotel. This is also a win for Donegal, which in our opinion, is Ireland's most beautiful tourist destination and we are happy it is home to the world's best Luxury Country Hotel for the last three years".

-ENDS-

Notes to Editors:

For more information please visit www.solislougheskecastle.ie
For media enquiries, press trip requests and images please contact:
Becky Sanders becky@lemongrassmarketing.com
Lanisha Butterfield lanisha@lemongrassmarketing.com
t: +44 (0)1865 237 990