



## **ONYX announces takeover to debut its OZO brand in Hong Kong**

ONYX Hospitality Group, is pleased to announce its official commencement of the management of the Wesley, located next to Admiralty in Wanchai district of Hong Kong, on 1 February 2012.

Appointed by Methodist Centre Limited, ONYX will close the property to undertake an extensive refurbishment programme before relaunching it as OZO Wesley Hong Kong in the last quarter of 2012.

“We are very excited to rebrand the Wesley as the inaugural property under ONYX’s dynamic new select service brand, OZO,” said Kenneth Sorensen, General Manager, OZO Wesley & Vice President, Operations, ONYX North Asia.

“Given the superb location of the property, the positioning of the OZO brand as “select service offering a five star sleeping experience”, the fresh new OZO facilities and the services we will be unveiling, OZO Wesley will be an appealing alternative to the current accommodation offerings in the area around Admiralty and Pacific Place.

The 251-room property, offering a mix of rooms and suites, is strategically located at No. 22 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, a prime business and commercial area on Hong Kong Island and it is just five minutes’ walk from Admiralty MTR station.

Facilities within OZO Wesley will include a Chinese restaurant, a breakfast lounge with adjacent meeting space, a fitness room, and a Grab & Go. At the heart of the property, will be a central multi-functional hub of activity catering to tech-savvy guests.

OZO guestrooms will showcase facilities traditionally featured in more luxurious levels of accommodation including plush carpeting, fully sound-proofed walls and doors, the latest in-room technology and a bed guaranteeing a great sleep experience. A selection of music and amenities for ultimate relaxation will further ensure that every guestroom becomes a personal sanctuary.

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### **Editor’s Notes:**

#### **About OZO**

OZO is ONYX Hospitality Group’s select service brand providing guests with practical yet stylish accommodation where simplicity combined with quality is the key. OZO properties feature lively atmospheres in its public areas that contrast strongly with the haven of comfort and tranquility that the guestrooms embody.



### **About ONYX**

ONYX Hospitality Group operates four diverse yet complementary brands – Saffron, Shama, Amari and OZO - each catering to the distinctive requirements of today's business and leisure travellers. The Thailand-based management company also manages a portfolio of independently owned or franchised properties throughout Thailand ([www.oamhotels.com](http://www.oamhotels.com)). ONYX reaches beyond its Thai roots to offer innovative management solutions across the Indian Ocean, Arabian Gulf and Asia-Pacific regions. Visit [www.onyx-hospitality.com](http://www.onyx-hospitality.com).

### **Photo Caption**



### **(from left to right)**

Rev. Tin Yau Yuen, Conference Secretary, The Methodist Church, Hong Kong

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