

# Sheraton Senggigi Beach Resort Supports Worldwide Earth Hour Movement for the Environment by Going Dark for One Hour

Lombok, Indonesia, 14 March 2018 – Sheraton Senggigi Beach Resort will go dark for one hour on March 24 to shine a light on climate action in support of <a href="Earth Hour 2018">Earth Hour 2018</a>. The hotel will join millions around the world in turning off its lights at 08:30 PM. local time to illuminate a powerful message about environmental awareness and action. The World Wildlife Fund (WWF) created the annual global environmental awareness event 11 years ago to emphasize the threat of climate change.

Sheraton Senggigi Beach Resort will participate by turning off exterior signage lighting; dimming or turning off non-essential interior lighting; using candlelight in appropriate public areas such as restaurants and bars; and using in-room television messages to inform guests about Earth Hour observances. Sheraton Senggigi Beach Resort will also participate in Marriott International's drive to raise funds for WWF by using hashtag #MIEarthHour #Serve360 on Twitter and Instagram activities. And as a symbol of the Earth Hour participation, there will be recycle bottle in 60+ patterns in the lobby area and in front of Senja Lounge & Dine to raise guests and associates awareness of this event.

"It's a privilege for us to support Earth Hour because it echoes Marriott International's global focus on the environment" said Denise Naguib, Vice President of Sustainability and Supplier Diversity. "Today, business plays a critical role in taking on our world's most pressing social and environmental issues, including climate change. Earth Hour reflects a philosophy we aim to practice year-round through our sustainability & social impact platform, Serve 360."

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