



#### BINTAN RESORTS

**PATA Gold Awards 2003**  
Bintan Mangrove Discovery Tour – Ecotourism / Travel-Related Project

**1-S Magazine Reader's Choice Awards 2001**  
Best Weekend Getaway  
1-S Magazine, Singapore

**M&C Asia-Pacific Gold Awards 1999**  
Best Golf Venue (Resorts Category)  
M&C Asia-Pacific Magazine

**Most Innovative Linked Product**  
Singapore Tourism Board 12<sup>th</sup> Tourism Awards, 1997

**WTM 1997 Global Awards**  
World Travel Market (WTM), London

**Top 50 Perfect Island Choices**  
The Whole World Year-Round Island Planner  
Conde Nast Traveller 1997

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## Statement from Bintan Resorts

Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009

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### West Sumatra Earthquakes

We would like to assure the public that Bintan Resorts is not affected by the earthquakes that struck the western coast of Indonesia's Sumatra Island on 30<sup>th</sup> September and 1<sup>st</sup> October 2009.

As is the case in Singapore, the tremors were felt in some areas in Bintan Resorts. However, there has been no report of any adverse effect or damage. Businesses and all activities at the resorts are proceeding as usual and our Crisis Centre will continue to monitor the situation.

The island of Bintan sits on the same tectonic plate as Singapore and as such, is generally not affected by earth movements caused by earthquakes along the fault lines in the 'Ring of Fire'.

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