



## **Top Dunkin' Donuts and Baskin-Robbins Franchisees and Suppliers Honored at Third Annual Awards Ceremony**

### ***Dunkin' Brands, Inc.'s Best from Around the World Receive Company's Highest Honors***

**CANTON, Mass.** (July 7, 2008) – Dunkin' Brands, Inc., the parent company of Dunkin' Donuts and Baskin-Robbins, recently recognized outstanding franchisees, partners and suppliers with the organization's highest honors at its third annual Franchisee & Enterprise Awards dinner. The event, held on June 26 at The Liberty Hotel in Boston, Mass, was attended by award winners from the United States, Columbia, Korea, Dubai, Japan, Honduras, Malaysia and Spain.

In a toast given at the awards ceremony, Jon L. Luther, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer of Dunkin' Brands, Inc., said: "This room is filled with an accomplished and elite group of leaders from all around the world who represent the very best of the Dunkin' Brands system. I applaud the values and dedication you all bring to this company."

The top Dunkin' Brands Franchisee & Enterprise Awards went to the following companies and individuals:

**Pathfinder Leadership Award:** Miguel Merino, Bogota, Columbia; Varuzh Tirityan, Burbank, California; John Motta, Merrimack, New Hampshire

**Dunkin' Donuts Franchisee of the Year:** White Donuts, LLC, Salem, Ohio

**Baskin-Robbins Franchisee of the Year:** Charles Mitchell, Davis, California

**Innovator of the Year:** The Scrivanos Group, North Reading, Massachusetts

**Dunkin' Donuts Developer of the Year:** Kainos Partners, LLC, Cheektowaga, New York

**Baskin-Robbins Developer of the Year:** Jode, LLC, Salt Lake City, Utah

**Dunkin' Donuts Operator of the Year:** Aumshive, Inc., Shererville, Indiana

**Baskin-Robbins Operator of the Year:** Hauser Enterprises, LLC, El Paso, Texas

**Dunkin' Donuts Partner/Licensee of the Year:** B-R Korea Company, Ltd., Seoul, Korea

**Baskin-Robbins Partner/Licensee of the Year:** Golden Scoop Sdn. Bhd., Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

**Dunkin' Donuts International Developer of the Year:** Grupo International, Tegucigalpa, Honduras

**Baskin-Robbins International Developer of the Year:** B-R 31 Ice Cream Company, Ltd., Tokyo, Japan

**Dunkin' Donuts International Innovator:** Franquicias Eivissa, S.A., Ibiza, Spain

**Baskin-Robbins International Innovator:** Galadari Ice Cream Company, Dubai, United Arab Emirates

**Dunkin' Brands Rising Star of the Year:** Clearwater Donuts, Clearwater, Florida

**Baskin-Robbins Rising Star of the Year:** Viola & Company, LLC, Alexandria, Virginia

**Supplier/Agency of the Year:** TurboChef Technologies, Inc., Carrollton, Texas

**Special Award, In Memoriam:** John Henderson (Rhode Island-based Dunkin' Donuts franchisee for more than 35 years)

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#### **About Dunkin' Brands**

With more than 13,800 franchises in 44 countries worldwide, Dunkin' Brands, Inc. is renowned for its leadership in the quick quality category. At the end of 2007, there were 7,988 Dunkin' Donuts franchised restaurants and 5,874 Baskin-Robbins franchised restaurants and the company had system-wide sales of approximately \$6.6 billion. Dunkin' Brands, Inc. is headquartered in Canton, Massachusetts. For more information, visit [www.dunkinbrands.com](http://www.dunkinbrands.com).

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