

ABOUT THE LABEL

Premium hotels in prime locations, combining modern architecture with regional influences. Featuring high-quality food and drinks, a professional BLUEf!t programme, modern technology and BLUE Guides - your experts in individual local experiences.

Catering to the needs of the modern lifestyle traveller.





PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS

MUST HAVE CRITERIA

- Preferably beach front or ocean front/front line or with strong WOW factor (scenic views, mountains, lake). Close to local town and culturally interesting surroundings
- Max. 90 min. airport transfer
- Spacious plots with at least 40,000 m²
- Preferably 150–350 rooms. (min 100 rooms)
- 3–5 Stars
- Min. 2 restaurants and 2 bars
- Min. 2 pools

ARCHITECTURE

- Modern design with regional influences
- Spacious and 3-5 star standard

FOOD & BEVERAGE

- BB/HB/FB or Al
- Min. 1 à la carte restaurant
- Min. 1 buffet restaurant
- 1 Grab & Go Station for snacks
- Min. 2 Bars (e.g. Lobby Bar, Pool Bar, Beach Bar)

SPORT FACILITIES

- Well-equipped gym
- Outdoor yoga/ group fitness platform in combination with functional training area
- Beach volleyball court and space for water sports if on the beach

SPA FACILITIES

Local spa treatments

POOLS

Min. 2 pools (Activity pool, Relax pool)

CHILDREN FACILITIES

This section is only mandatory in selected hotels with focus on families

- 1 room for the Kids' Club, min.75 m² play space and shaded outdoor play area min.
 50 m². (Supervised childcare for 3-12 yrs)
- Outdoor Playground suitable for 3-8 yrs
- Outdoor space for provision of teens "Teens Lounge" minimum 75 m²
- Children's pool

ROOMS

- Approx. 28 m² for a standard double room
- Mix of double rooms, family rooms and suites
- Contemporary, modern design δ relaxed welcoming atmosphere
- Spacious bathroom area (glass shower screen to bath, no shower curtains)
- Balcony/terrace: chairs and small table
- Flat screen TV
- Air conditioning
- High bed quality
- Tea and coffee making facilities
- Safety box free of charge
- Mini bar

ENTERTAINMENT

 Mobile stages for live music and events with portable sound δ light equipment

TECHNOLOGY

- Digital holiday planner, restaurant bookings and service requests via the BLUE® App for iOS/Android
- Inspiration Desk with access to tablets
- Info displays
- BLUETOOTH® technology in the rooms (TV/ wireless speaker)

BRANDING

 TUI BLUE to be the only brand throughout the hotel including staff uniform, signage, menu cards etc. All details available in TUI BLUE branding manual.

TUI TEAMS/ CONCEPT DELIVERY

- TUI employs a TUI BLUE team for each season. (subject to change to "Hotel employs" depending on hotel, destination and specific roles)
- To deliver the concept we need some specialist roles like Blue Guide Manager, BLUE Guides, BLUEf!t Guide, Fitness Hosts, Kids Club Supervisor and Hosts, Entertainment & Activity Hosts.
- All roles will receive training from TUI, both hotel employed and TUI employed.
- Free accommodation and meals for TUI supplied staff

QUALITY FIGURES

 Guest satisfaction targets will be set across key areas, setting out the minimum performance levels hotels will be expected to achieve.

SUSTAINABILITY

- Compliance to TUI additional sustainability requirements according to contract and incorporate Travelife
- Achieve the annually set target for "respect for the environment" according to the TUI Customer Satisfaction Report

BUSINESS MODEL

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Includes brand related costs: branding package, staff δ training costs, implementation visits and hotel trainings etc.

FORMS OF CONTRACT

Franchise/Commercial Cooperation

OPERATIONAL CONTRIBUTION AND VARIABLE SYSTEM FEE

- The hotelier pays a fixed seasonal contribution that covers parts of the operational costs. The amount is dependent on location, capacity and team size
- The hotelier pays a variable system fee, based on the gross seasonal TUI sales per season

MARKETING BENEFITS

- Prominent position in TUI sales and marketing activities
- Dedicated marketing team to coordinate exclusive marketing campaigns
- Clear positioning of your hotel on TUI brochures, and targeted focus on the TUI BLUE For All target group
- Prominent presentation of TUI BLUE on TUI websites
- Specific labels on the TUI retail booking system as well as on the TUI websites
- Preferred status as host hotel for seminars and information trips as well as sales events, training sessions and roadshows
- Tailored communication pack sent out to travel agencies to encourage bookings to your hotel

