

Media Release

Mayor of London Supports World Class Equestrian Event Coming To TIQ Stratford City

London, 8 May 2013- The Mayor of London was yesterday joined by Team GB gold medallist, Nick Skelton, as they announced details of the LONGINES GLOBAL CHAMPIONS TOUR in the capital, set to be staged adjacent to Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

The LONGINES GLOBAL CHAMPIONS TOUR, the world's leading show jumping championships, will be staged at The International Quarter (TIQ), Stratford City which is adjacent to the iconic Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park from June 6 – 9th 2013.

The event will cement the extraordinary equestrian legacy from the London Games and has received full support from the Mayor of London Boris Johnson. The world's top 30 riders will be competing, including GB gold medallists Nick Skelton, Scott Brash and Ben Maher.

A grandstand for 3,000 spectators, paying from £10, will be erected around the arena with corporate hospitality marquees for 500 people alongside. Tickets for the event are available now from www.globalchampionstour.com.

Mayor of London, Boris Johnson, said: "I am thrilled to welcome yet another elite sporting event to London and in this case, one which is being hosted in Stratford next to our iconic Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park. Equestrian fixtures were a real highlight of the Olympic and Paralympic Games not just in terms of the healthy medal haul but also the impeccable staging. I've no doubt the Longines Global Championships Tour will be an equally unbridled success re-affirming once more that London is a world class city for sport."

Lend Lease Managing Director of Development, Mark Dickinson said: "The Global Champions Tour ethos is about bringing the sport to exciting, international, high profile locations. The International Quarter is delighted to stage this event and we look forward to sharing the benefits of this four day family event with local communities."

Event organiser Peter Phillips of SEL-UK (Sports & Entertainment Ltd), said: "It's great to have the London Mayor's support for the event which will really build on the fantastic Olympic legacy of Great Britain's equestrians. It's a great chance for the public to see Olympians in action, just a year after their success in London."

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Lend Lease is one of London's leading urban regenerators and is also delivering Elephant & Castle, arguably the last major urban regeneration in Zone One. This £1.5bn project is scheduled to be completed in 2026 and will deliver 2,800 homes, 50,000 sq ft of offices and the largest new park in central London for 70 years.

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The King's Cross and Stratford schemes together represent over 100 acres of development on strategically important brown field land and will deliver two thriving new office districts, up to 2,350 homes and billions of pounds of investment to the capital. LCR delivered the award winning HS1 railway, including new stations at Stratford International and Ebbsfleet, as well as the rebirth of St Pancras International.

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