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St. Regis to debut in Goa this summer

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Marriott's Luxury Collection also has an hotel in South Goa. Image credit: Luxury Collection

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Hospitality group Marriott International is bringing its luxury St. Regis brand to Goa, expanding the group's presence in India.

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Marriott signed an agreement with Ceres Hotels Private Limited to open the new hotel this October. The St. Regis Goa Resort will be the ninth Marriott International property in Goa, and the second St. Regis in India.

"We are delighted to work with Ceres Hotels Private Limited to introduce the St. Regis brand to Goa, bringing bespoke experiences curated for the most discerning travelers to one of the most beautiful and fascinating coastal destinations in India," said Rajeev Menon, president of Asia Pacific, excluding Greater China, at [Marriott International](#), in a statement.

St. Regis Goa

Located on Mobor Beach in South Goa, the former Leela Goa will be transformed into the new St. Regis resort.

The 49-acre site is surrounded by water on three sides, and the beach attracts visitors for dolphin spotting, birdwatching and lazy river cruises.



The Leela Goa is being renovated and rebranded to become the St. Regis Goa Resort. Image credit: Leela Goa

The St. Regis Goa Resort will have 206 guestrooms, suites and villas, as well as five specialty restaurants. Recreation and leisure facilities include a fitness center, three swimming pools, tennis courts, a children's club and a 12-hole golf course. There are also plans for a signature St. Regis Spa.

"The St. Regis Goa Resort will usher in a new benchmark of luxury hospitality in this city and underscores the tremendous trust and confidence our owners have in us and in the power of our luxury brands," Mr. Menon said.

Since 2020, Marriott International has focused on an aggressive expansion plan in Asia Pacific. Last year, the group's Ritz-Carlton brand opened in new properties in China and Maldives ([see story](#)).

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