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### **Interchange Hungary wins top ‘Retail Concessionaire of the Year’ award at the 10<sup>th</sup> Budapest Airport Annual Awards Ceremony**

*Budapest, 9th February, 2017:* Interchange Hungary, part of the International Interchange Group (‘Interchange’), one of the leading foreign exchange providers in the world, is pleased to announce that the company has won one of the top three prizes at the 10th Budapest Airport Annual Awards Ceremony, namely for **Retail Concessionaire of the Year – Highest Absolute Turnover Growth**. This is the second time that the company has won this prestigious award.

By awarding the ‘Retail Concessionaire’ prizes at this gala event, Budapest Airport showed its appreciation of its highly-valued business partners and retailers, many of whom have made important contributions towards the Hungarian gateway having yet another record-breaking year and continuing its commercial development. Serving more than 11 million passengers in 2016 – the highest ever number recorded at the airport – Budapest Airport also recorded an 11.5% increase in transactions.

Krisztian Janvari, CEO of Interchange Hungary, commented on the company’s success: *„We have been proudly serving the FOREX requirements of Budapest Airport’s international passengers since 2007, and last year cemented our great association with the airport following the five-year extension of our contract. Tonight’s award is a wonderful acknowledgment of the strong partnership that we enjoy with the airport.”*

Interchange is one of Hungary’s largest specialised foreign exchange networks, established for 24 years and employing 120 people.

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## **About Interchange**

The Interchange Group is one of the world's leaders in currency exchange and money transfer for both private and corporate customers.

Established in 1990, the Group operates more than 130 foreign exchange branches, including 40 in the Czech Republic, and over 1200 Western Union agencies in 14 countries on four continents.

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