



'TIS THE AWARDS SEASON: POKERSTARS AND FULL TILT TAKE HOME HONORS IN MOBILE APPS AND CUSTOMER SERVICE

LONDON, United Kingdom – December 11, 2014 – PokerStars and Full Tilt have this week won awards for app innovation and customer service excellence. Full Tilt took top honours at the IGA Gaming App Awards for 'Best Poker App', while PokerStars PLAY was judged to be 'Best Social Poker App'.

"These awards recognize the spirit of innovation and service that make PokerStars and Full Tilt stand out in any industry," said Eric Hollreiser, Head of Corporate Communications for Rational Group. "As more and more consumers are introduced to poker through social and mobile platforms, it is especially important that we lead the poker industry in these areas."

The Full Tilt app, which allows real money online poker, is available to download on iOS and Android devices. PokerStars PLAY is a fun free-to-play game, accessible through Facebook, and was yesterday made available on iOS and Android devices globally.

CUSTOMER SERVICE AWARDS

It's been a good awards season for PokerStars. Not only did the world's biggest poker site collect two awards, including 'Best Poker Operator', at the EGR Awards last month, but PokerStars also made a strong debut appearance in the United Kingdom's 'Top 50 Companies for Customer Service' program. Lining up against such heavyweight opposition as American Express, Tesco and Virgin Atlantic, PokerStars performed well with an 8th place ranking for 'Live Chat' and 17th place for 'Emails'.

"We are honored to be acknowledged for excellence in customer service alongside such iconic consumer brands like Virgin Atlantic and American Express," Hollreiser said. "This speaks volumes about the quality of our hundreds of customer support specialists who find ways to serve and delight our customers in 29 languages 24/7 and 365 on both PokerStars and Full Tilt."

Further information on the 'Top 50 Companies for Customer Service' is available online at http://www.callcentre.co.uk/top50/

Further information on the 'Gaming App Awards' is available online at http://gaming-awards.com/appawards/

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About PokerStars

Since it launched in 2001, PokerStars has become the first choice of players all over the world, with more daily tournaments than anywhere else and with the best security online. More than 120 billion hands have been dealt on PokerStars, which is more than any other site.

PokerStars.com and PokerStars.eu operate globally under licenses from the Isle of Man and Malta governments, respectively. PokerStars also holds separate government licenses in the United Kingdom, Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Italy, and Spain.

PokerStars is a member of The Rational Group, which operates gaming-related businesses and brands, including PokerStars, Full Tilt and the European Poker Tour. In 2012, 2013 and 2014, Rational Group companies in the UK and Isle of Man won recognition as one of the best workplaces in the UK being awarded a top 25 position by the Great Place to Work Institute's Best Workplaces – Large category rankings. Rational Group entities in Costa Rica and Dublin also achieved the same accolade in their respective local rankings in 2014. PokerStars is owned by Amaya Inc. (TSX: AYA).

About Full Tilt

Full Tilt is a leading gaming brand known for delivering some of the most innovative online poker games in the world.

Home to the revolutionary poker formats Rush Poker and Adrenaline Rush, Full Tilt also offers its players fast-paced, quick-fold gameplay on both desktop and mobile.

There are two Full Tilt licensed sites – FullTilt.com, which operates in various countries around the world under license from the Isle of Man; and FullTilt.eu, which operates in nine European markets noted under license from Malta. In 2014, Full Tilt began expanding its game portfolio by adding a variety of slot offerings and a range of single- and multi-player variations of Blackjack and Roulette.

Full Tilt was re-launched in November 2012 under new ownership of The Rational Group, which also operates PokerStars, the world's largest online poker site. In 2012, 2013 and 2014, Rational Group companies in the UK and Isle of Man won recognition as one of the best workplaces in the UK being awarded a top 25 position by the Great Place to Work Institute's Best Workplaces – Large category rankings. Rational Group entities in Costa Rica and Dublin also achieved the





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