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**ANDREW SHULER JOINS AMERICA'S BEST FRANCHISING
AS NEW V.P. FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION**

Veteran hotel industry executive Andrew W. Shuler has been named vice president of finance and administration for America's Best Franchising Incorporated, which operates two of the country's most popular limited services brands – America's Best Inn & Suites and Country Hearth Inn & Suites.

His responsibilities include franchise administration, human resources, regulatory compliance, and financial management.

Since 1985, Shuler has served in a variety of positions at Hospitality International, Inc., the Atlanta-based franchiser of Scottish Inns, Master Hosts Inns, Red Carpet Inn, Passport Inn, and Downtowner Inns, most recently as vice president of compliance and finance.

He has also held corporate and field management positions with Days Inns of America, plus as a property manager with Colonial Hospitality Management.

Shuler earned a bachelor of science degree at the University of Georgia. He and his wife, Gail, have a grown son and live in the Atlanta suburb of Duluth.

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About America's Best Franchising, Inc.

America's Best Franchising, Inc. currently franchises the Country Hearth Inns & Suites and America's Best Inns & Suites lodging systems. America's Best Inns & Suites (www.americasbestinns.com) are mid-priced hotels with single, double and suite accommodations, complimentary breakfast and free local phone calls. There are currently 100 properties and 6,871 rooms open in the U.S. and South America. Country Hearth Inns & Suites (www.countryhearth.com) are mid-priced, limited-service hotels that provide southern hospitality, comfort and value. There are currently 90 properties and 5,592 rooms open in the U.S. and Canada. For additional information, contact 770-393-2662.