



Columbia Hospitality acquires Coastal in regional deal

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Seattle-based Columbia Hospitality said Monday it has acquired Coastal Hotels and will take over management of six hotels and two golf courses in Washington and Arizona. Terms of the deal were not disclosed.

Coastal, based in Bellevue, Washington, is transferring its management contracts and nearly all of its 560 employees to 22-year-old Columbia. Coastal CEO Yogi Hutsen is joining Columbia as an executive vice president.

Among the properties Columbia will be taking over from Coastal is the well-known, 211-room Semiahmoo Resort near the U.S.-Canada border in Blaine, Washington.

Columbia now manages 37 properties, mostly in Washington.