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THE reception area of the hotel is located on the 11th floor and I idly looked at the posters on the walls of the lift advertising the different promotions available as the lift speedily made its way up. The reception area was cool and relaxing, instantly infusing a feeling of calm.

As I was a bit early and my room was not ready yet, the receptionist suggested that I relax in the massage chair that was by the pool. The pool was accessible from the reception via a glass door. I took her advice and was soon dozing off in a very comfortable vibrating chair. Fortunately, I was not drooling when they came to tell me that my room was ready.

MODERN CONTEMPORARY

The room that I was shown to was a *Premier Deluxe*, and it was a very modern, beautiful room. The room was spacious with plenty of natural light coming in through the windows. Every area of the hotel had high speed internet access, which is great if you are a business traveller and the room was no exception. The bathroom was a good size with a great rain shower.



The hotel fully embraces the green concept and believes strongly in recycling. Every floor has recycling bins. The pool is heated by channeling heat that is generated by the compressors in the building. The pool is not cleaned with chlorine, but with salt. The flooring of the pool has been made using recycled material from the husks of *padi*. The packaging of all the used shower amenities are sent away to be recycled and reused.

I headed down to The Club for a snack. The Club is a large area where the hotel guests can have their meals or have small meetings or discussions. It is a very modern and contemporary area, with a great view of the city. The wooden walls were made from recycled materials. Other than great food, and a very pleasant atmosphere, The Club also boasts three boardrooms and a business centre. I snacked on their mini lamb sliders and they were delicious.

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Premier Deluxe room



Continental Breakfast



Elements Gym



Hotel Swimming Pool

FULLY EQUIPPED

The burgers may have been small but they did fill me up, so I decided to burn them off by walking to the gym and watching other people work out. The gym was amazing. Fully equipped with cardio machines and free weights. The gym is open to membership as well, so the public can take advantage of all the equipment and classes offered. The

spa is also housed here. The 10 minutes that I spent walking around and watching other people sweat left me feeling quite virtuous, so I went back to my room for a shower.

I had dinner at the Bridge Bar, which serves great bar snacks and a wide selection of drinks. The *Lamb Varuvel Pizza* that I had was absolutely delicious. Nicely spiced and spicy, it went amazing well with my beer.

After a great nights sleep, I wandered back up to The Club, where breakfast was served. There was a good selection of hot and cold food and the eggs were cooked to order.

The GTower hotel is everything that one could ask for in a hotel and more. From the high tech facilities to the service, it was a winner in all ways. Strongly recommended. 