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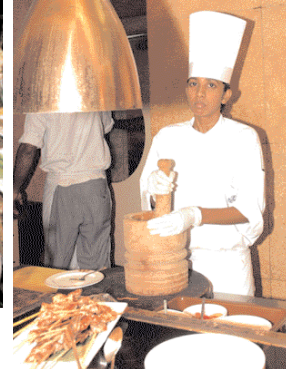
Photo Essay



A diner in a dilemma?



Thai dessert buffet



One of the chefs crushing ingredients



Hilton Colombo GM William Costley and Thai Airways GM Weerawat Swasditutra at the event

Thai cuisine at Hilton

Thai Airways with Hilton Colombo jointly organised a ten day Thai Food Festival to mark the 21st anniversary of Hilton Colombo at the Spice Restaurant last week.

This food festival provided authentic Thai foods to titillate taste buds of many Sri Lankans present at the event.

Thai Airways the national carrier of Thailand sponsored the delegation of chefs for the event. Most

of the cuisine was very popular among Sri Lankans who participated at the festival.

General Manager Thai Airways Weerawat Swasditutra said they are planning to organise food festivals every year with the assistance from Thai Hilton Hotels in Thailand.

He said Sri Lanka and Thailand has a relationship due to similar cultural and historical similarities to promote this type of promotion

not only in Sri Lanka but also in Thailand.

"This event was very successful and we intend to organise such food festivals in Sri Lanka in the future," Chef Danoi Thotrakun said.

Thotrakun attached to Hilton Phuket in Thailand came to Sri Lanka exclusively for this event. He said he found authentic Thai food to be very popular among Sri Lankans. (HHS)



Wide selection of sweetmeats



Thai chefs flown down to the event



Vegetable carving



Chief of the Thai delegation Chef Danoi Thotrakun at the event



Baffled !

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