



*"When we started looking for a hotel management software for our Jamshedpur property back in 1999, we didn't have enough options. And if there were any, cost was a deterrent. So, we decided to opt for IDS Next & adopted the same in 2000. In case of our Kolkata property in 2010, we didn't even bother to look at any other software as IDS Next property management was our best bet."*

**Mr. Swaroop Chakravorty**  
**Vice President**  
**The Sonnet**

## IDS Next Hotel Management Software Helps 2 Properties of *The Sonnet* to Effectively Automate Daily Operations

### ► About The Sonnet

The Sonnet hotel brand belongs to Regent Resorts & Properties Pvt Ltd. The Sonnet brand boasts of two sophisticated 4 star hotels namely, The Sonnet, Jamshedpur and The Sonnet, Kolkata. Both the properties represent a blend of welcoming warmth and quite elegance. Both the hotels are known for their superlative levels of services and facilities.

"We identify our properties as business hotels as around 98% of our guests are business travelers. Our amenities, offerings and services are tuned to meet the growing requirements of business travelers," says Mr. Swaroop Chakravorty, Vice President at The Sonnet.

Both the hotels have been using IDS Next Hotel Property Management System for quite a long time now. The Sonnet, Jamshedpur, a 15 year old property with 69 rooms started using IDS Next Hotel Property Management System in 2000 and upgraded to FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise in 2013.

Similarly, The Sonnet in Kolkata, set up in 2010 has been using the IDS Next Hotel Software since the day one. This 64 room business hotel decided upgraded to FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise last year.

### ► About FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise Hotel ERP

This is the all-in-one and most robust hotel property management system for large and independent hotels. With its centralized data integration, FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise enables easier and more efficient property management to improve a hotel's productivity and performance. A feature rich application, FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise is tablet ready and offers a host of drill down reporting features, so the management of the hotel can make better, faster and more accurate decisions on-the-go.

This highly integrated hotel management system was a right choice for both the high-end properties of The Sonnet as the software offers centralized and integrated solution with its modules.

## ► Modules of FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise

Front Office Management	Point of Sale	Accounts Receivables	Sales & Marketing
Banquets & Conferences	Telephone Management	Materials Management	Food and Beverage Costing
Financial Management	HR & Payroll	Maintenance Management	Quality Management
SMS Alerts			

## ► Operational Benefits to The Sonnet

“Over these years, the best part of using IDS Next Hotel Management Software is that we get all the modules vital for higher operational automation on one single application. All the modules are together and that’s what has made our lives easier so far. Additionally, our staffs are happy to work on such user-friendly software. Our staffs require no extra training to work on FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise,” says Mr. Swaroop.

According to him, both the properties of The Sonnet brand are leveraging the IDS Next software to the fullest. “Features like HR & Payroll, Point Of Sale, Front Office Management and Sales & Marketing are helping us to drive our business. The maintenance management module has helped us to completely streamline the process of preventive maintenance. And we are impressed with IDS Next 24/7 Technical Support that ensure that the software is up and running all the time,” Mr. Swaroop says.



*"The guest history feature assists us to track a record of our guests' likes and dislikes. This enables us to launch and offer personalized services to our repeat guests. Most importantly, being PA DSS Certified, FortuneNEXT 6i Enterprise assures us that our guests' payment card details are safe with us."*

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## ► About IDS NEXT

IDS Next Business Solutions is a global leader in providing Hotel ERP and technology solutions for the Hospitality and Leisure industries. We have earned the trust of over 3500 customers globally and have a strong presence in 40 plus countries across South East Asia, Oceania, Indian sub-continent, Middle East, and Africa.

IDS Next's clients include Ramada Hotels, ETA Star, Ramee, Sterling, Choice Hotels International, Swissôtel, Aitkens Spence, John Keells Group, Colombo Courtyard, Sarovar Hotels & Resorts, ITC Fortune Group, Royal Orchid Hotels, Pride Hotels, Keys Hotels, Golden Tulip and many more.

IDS Next's portfolio of capabilities include Software Development, Mobility Solutions and a range of next generation software products that address every segment of the hospitality industry, including independent hotels, chain hotels, business hotels, resorts, clubs, service apartments, limited service, and restaurants.

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