



THE CONSTRUCTION USERS ROUNDTABLE

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The Construction Users Roundtable Salutes Safety Excellence In The Construction Industry

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The Construction Users Roundtable (CURT) is proud to announce its annual Construction Industry Safety Excellence (CISE) Award Winners and calls upon the industry to continue its progress in promoting construction site safety across the United States, Canada and the rest of the globe. As one of its core initiatives CURT is committed to working towards continued improvement in construction industry safety performance.

The Construction Users Roundtable is an association of leading corporations dedicated to the promotion of cost effective construction methods. The members, as major consumers of construction services seek to foster improved construction safety performance through recognition of the achievement of excellence and the promotion of proven effective work practices.

The CISE program seeks to encourage efforts to improve safety by recognizing safety leaders in all segments of the construction industry. Award applications were distributed to CURT members as well as leading national contractor associations and local construction user councils throughout the United States and Canada.

"The CURT Construction Industry Safety Excellence (CISE) Award winners have once again established new levels of safety performance, achievement, and innovation that proves zero incidents can be achieved. Our class of 2009 award recipients have reinforced our belief that owner companies, contractor companies, and our skilled crafts can partner effectively together to design and build complex domestic and international projects that meet specific business needs and provide jobs while protecting the health and safety of all workers. CURT is proud to present world class performance and teamwork resulting in the highest commitment to safety as defined by the Owner Safety Blueprint. Please join me in applauding these leaders of industry who by example demonstrate that construction safety is not just an idea but a reality." - Greg Landis, Co-Chairman, CURT Safety Committee

The **CURT CISE Owner Safety Awards** were presented to:

Specific US Construction Project 12 Months in Duration:

ExxonMobil Chemical Company Baytown Eclipse Venture
The Procter & Gamble Company, Box Elder, Utah

Specific International Project:

RasGas Common Offplots Project
Janssen Ortho LLC, Concerta Project, Gurabo, Puerto Rico
a Johnson & Johnson Company

These awards recognize the important role of owners in managing safety performance and achieving excellent results. The winners were selected from among dozens of applications.

The **CURT CISE Constructor Safety Awards** went to contractors in various categories recognizing their outstanding safety performances over the past three years. Award recipients were:

NAICS Code 236: General Building Contractors

Bancroft Construction Company, >500K <or= 2MM man hours/year

NAICS Code 237: Heavy Construction Contractors

Teton Industrial Construction, Inc. a PCL Company, >2MM man hours/year

S&B Engineers and Constructors, Ltd., >2MM man hours/year

NAICS Code 238: Special Trade Contractors

Canyon Concrete, Inc. <or= 500K man hours/year (*Honorable mention*)

Nooter Construction Company, >500K <or= 2MM man hours/year

IES Industrial Inc., >500K <or= 2MM man hours/year

Encouraging owners and contractors to adopt the principles outlined in the newly released CURT publication entitled, "The Construction Owners' Safety Blueprint," demonstrates CURT's commitment to promoting a safer construction industry.

"Safety Improvement will continue to be a key deliverable and core value for CURT and its member firms. Those who do an outstanding job at reducing construction workers' injuries are to be commended," said Gregory Sizemore, CURT Executive Vice President. He continues, "Owners will continue to work towards continuous safety improvement."

CURT announced the prestigious awards and made the presentations during its National Construction Owners Conference on November 17, 2009, at The Buena Vista Palace Hotel in Orlando, FL.

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