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SRNS Safety Program Earns DOE's Legacy of STARs Award for Safety

Numerous awards throughout 2014 continue to affirm SRNS employees' successful safety cult

Aiken, S.C. – (Sept. 30, 2014) Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC (SRNS) continues to achieve STAR Status within the Department of Energy's (DOE) Voluntary Protection Program each year. Only a small percentage of DOE sites, laboratories and organizations can make the same claim.

Upon receiving Star of Excellence recognition by DOE three years consecutively, award recipients are recognized for their continued safety excellence with the Legacy of Stars Award.

SRNS has received 13 Star of Excellence Awards and recently received their fourth Legacy of Stars Award at the VPP National Conference. This is the sixth time since SRNS won the Management and Operations contract for the Savannah River Site (SRS) they have received DOE's highest safety honor.

"It is always gratifying to receive outside validation of our successful safety culture," said SRNS President & CEO Carol Johnson. "But more importantly, this award reflects the care and compassion SRNS employees have not only for their personal safety, but the safety of their coworkers and community as well. It's an honor to work with the dedicated men and women of SRNS who make our company one of the safest in this industry."



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In addition to receiving the STAR Status award, during this past year, SRNS added three other prestigious safety awards.

At this year's South Carolina Manufacturers Alliance (SCMA) Safety Awards Ceremony held, in Spartanburg, S.C., both SRNS Operations and Construction employees were recognized separately for outstanding safety accomplishments.

This honor was followed by additional recognition at the South Carolina Chamber of Commerce Safety Awards Ceremony in Columbia, S.C., where, again, both SRNS Operations and Construction employees were recognized for a commendable Lost Workday Case Rate (lost time away from work due to an on-the-job injury) during the last complete calendar year.

South Carolina OSHA recognized SRNS' efforts to significantly reduce the recordable occupational injuries and illnesses among their workers with their award.

SRNS employees are committed to creating safe, innovative, effective solutions for our country's most pressing initiatives. SRNS offers in-depth nuclear knowledge for the nation and works to make the future of our country secure, energy independent and environmentally responsible.

Savannah River Nuclear Solutions is a Fluor-led company whose members are Fluor Federal Services, Newport News Nuclear and Honeywell, responsible for the management and operations of the Department of Energy's Savannah River Site, including the Savannah River National Laboratory, located near Aiken, South Carolina.

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