

THE BROCK GROUP RECEIVES HBR AWARDS

GALVESTON, TX – MAY 1, 2009 - The 22nd Annual HBR Safety Excellence Award Banquet was recently held at the San Luis Convention Center in Galveston, Texas, recognizing five companies, within The Brock Group. The Award Process began in December 2008 where the five Brock companies were nominated by various owners in the industry.

Of the total number of contractors nominated, only thirty-eight (38) were selected as finalist, from seven different categories.



From left to right:
Russell Klinegardner, Director of Environmental, Health and Safety; Mike Scarborough, President Miken Specialties, Ltd.; *Holding the Award* - John Robbins, EH&S Manager; Ray Davis, Operations Manager; and Damian Guillot, EH&S Site Manager

The Brock Group represented five of the thirty eight finalists and competed in two of the seven categories. Each category consisted of an audit team that conducted an initial assessment of statistical data and programs. The selection was then narrowed down to a few companies per category, where each of these companies then received a field audit. The Brock Group represented four of the twenty companies that were audited. Of the seven categories only one "Best in Class" overall award winner was recognized. The Brock Group of Companies received 2 of the 7 "Best in Class" Awards and three additional level award winners:



From left to right:
Homer Gonzales, Site Manager, BMI (at Sterling Chemical); Jeryl Finke, President Region III; Maria George, Site EH&S Coordinator, BMI (at Sterling Chemical) *Holding the Award*; Donald Lunsford, Maintenance Coordinator, Sterling Chemical; Lonnie Billiot, Project Manager, BMI

Specialty Contractor Soft Craft – Small:

Gold Level Award Winner and Category "Best in Class"- Brock Maintenance, Inc.

Specialty Contractor Soft Craft – Large:

Gold Level Award Winner and Category "Best in Class"- Miken Specialties, Ltd.

Gold Level Award Winner - Brock Specialty Services, Ltd.

Silver Level Award Winner - Basic Industries, Inc.

Bronze Level Award Winner - United Scaffolding, Inc.

About The Brock Group

Based in Houston, Texas, The Brock Group ("Brock") is an international provider of industrial specialty services, including industrial scaffolding, insulation, coatings, and other complementary services, and is the nation's leading multi-craft provider. Over its 60 year operating history, Brock has built an unrivaled reputation for integrity, quality service, and safety, and has become the service provider of choice for many of the world's largest industrial processing companies. With more than 15,000 skilled employees, Brock serves a diverse set of market, including customers from the refinery, chemical, Canadian Oil Sands, fossil power generation, and nuclear power generation markets, among others.

For more information about Brock, please visit www.brockgroup.com.