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James S. Cogswell Outstanding Industrial Security Achievement Awards for 2013

QUANTICO, Va. – The Defense Security Service (DSS) is pleased to announce the winners of the 2013 James S. Cogswell Outstanding Industrial Security Achievement Award. Twenty-four facilities have been selected for the award, which is presented at the annual NCMS training seminar on June 26, 2013, in Chicago, Ill.

The Cogswell Award, established in 1966, is named in honor of the late Air Force Col. James S. Cogswell, the first chief of industrial security within the Department of Defense. Cogswell was responsible for developing the basic principles of the Industrial Security Program, which include an emphasis on the partnership between industry and government to protect classified information. This partnership ultimately ensures the greatest protection for the U.S. warfighter and our Nation's classified information. The Cogswell Award recognizes industrial security excellence.

This year, DSS presents the James S. Cogswell Outstanding Industrial Security Achievement Award to 24 of 13,300 defense contractors that are subject to recurring assessment. The award criteria focuses on principles of industrial security excellence. Factors include establishing and maintaining a security program that far exceeds the basic National Industrial Security Program requirements; and providing leadership to other cleared facilities in establishing best practices while maintaining the highest standards for security.

The Cogswell Award selection process is rigorous. A DSS Industrial Security Representative may only nominate facilities that have at a minimum two consecutive superior industrial security review ratings and which show a sustained degree of excellence and innovation in their overall security program management, implementation and oversight. The Cogswell Award is given for outstanding achievement in matters related exclusively to a facility's security program. DSS makes the final selections.

DSS is proud to recognize the following recipients of the 2013 Cogswell award:

Aerojet-General Corporation
Rancho Cordova, Calif.

BAE Systems Information Solutions, Inc.
McLean, Va.

BAE Systems Land & Armaments, LP
Minneapolis, Minn.

Battelle Eastern Science and Technology Center
Aberdeen, Md.

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Boeing Aerospace Operations, Inc.
Oklahoma City, Okla.

The Boeing Company
Oklahoma City, Okla.

The Boeing Company – Space and Intelligence Systems
Seal Beach, Calif.

CDI Corporation
Portsmouth, Va.

Celestica Aerospace Technologies Corporation
Austin, Texas

The Columbia Group, Inc.
Washington, D.C.

DRS RSTA, Inc.
Dallas, Texas

DRS RSTA, Inc.
Melbourne, Fla.

DRS Technologies, Inc.
Arlington, Va.

General Dynamics Advanced Information Systems
Bloomington, Minn.

L-3 Randtron Antenna Systems
Menlo Park, Calif.

Logos Technologies, LLC
Fairfax, Va.

The MITRE Corporation
McLean, Va.

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Northrop Grumman Guidance & Electronics Company, Inc.
Woodland Hills, Calif.

Oceanering
Hanover, Md.

Rockwell Collins Simulation and Training Solutions
Binghamton, N.Y.

Serco Inc.
Reston, Va.

Signature Research, Inc.
Navarre, Fla.

Southwest Research Institute
San Antonio, Texas

URS Federal Technical Services
Dahlgren, Va.

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