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2008 Scottish Roofing Awards Winners Announced

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The Scottish Region NFRC is pleased to announce the winners of its inaugural Annual Awards Ceremony, the 32nd Scottish Region, 2008 Scottish Roofing contractor of the year awards. Roofing contractors were invited to submit their entries back in August of this year and following the judges final decisions, the Scottish NFRC has now announced the winners at a lavish awards ceremony at the SAS Radisson, Edinburgh.

Having received a high number of entries of exceptional quality, diversity and credibility, the Scottish NFRC alongside its distinguished panel of judges compiling of leading figures from the construction industry, gave up their time to voluntarily provide independent decisions on the finalists.

Formed in 1892, the NFRC is the recognised trade association for the roofing industry supporting hundreds of companies throughout the UK. Committed to raising the awareness and standards of workmanship, quality and excellence for all roofing works through the UK, the NFRC provides the small roofing contractor with increased credibility and recognition, greater visibility, training advice, sales leads, warranty schemes and technical information – encompassed by extremely high technical craftsmanship throughout the industry.

“I have been fortunate to be a judge for the inaugural NFRC’s Scottish Roofing awards and I have to be honest with you, when I first started I thought I was familiar with roof construction and the value it adds to real high performing buildings. I was mistaken, the skill and expertise that sits in this sector is amazing!” said the Chairman of the judges Mr. Ronnie Forsyth – Member of the Regional Committee of the National Federation of Roofing Contractors in Scotland

The Scottish NFRC's Roofing Contractor of the year awards have been made possible through the support and sponsorship of SIG Roofing Supplies Group. "We are delighted to be fully involved with the inaugural NFRC's Scottish Roofing Awards" said Stuart Base, Marketing Manager, SIG Roofing Supplies "The NFRC provides much more than awards scheme for its members as it continues to promote quality and excellence within roofing."

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Pitched Tiling and Slating

Winner – Southwest Roofing Services Ltd, for the restoration of Castlemilk stable block, Glasgow

Short Listed – Compass Roofing Ltd, for the stripping and re-slating of Quaternile, Edinburgh

Short Listed – Southwest Roofing Services Ltd, for a new build church / community facility at Bankfoot in Perth

Flat Roofing Systems

Winner – Weatherproofing Advisors Ltd, for the refurbishment of the Queen Elizabeth building, at Glasgow's Royal Infirmary

Short Listed – BriggsAmasco Ltd for the refurbishment of the McCance Building at the university of Strathclyde in Glasgow

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Active Roofing Systems

Winner – BriggsAmasco Ltd, for a Green Roofing Project at the Aulton Community Centre in Seaton, Aberdeen

Short Listed – Weatherproofing Advisors Ltd, for a Green Roof Project at Dunblane High School

Short Listed – BriggsAmasco Ltd, for work on the Conan Doyle Medical Centre in Liberton, Edinburgh

Roof, Wall and Façade Systems

Winner – Procladd (Scotland) Ltd for a building project at Arbroath Harbour

Short Listed – Graininger Building Services Ltd – for the work on the 'Elements' in Livingston

Short Listed – Lakesmere Ltd – for work on the new college campus building in Clydebank, Glasgow

Health, Safety and Environment Award

Winner – Weatherproofing Advisors Ltd

Supply Chain Partner of the Year

Winner – M R Site Services Ltd

Services to the Community

Winner – Forster Roofing Services Ltd

Celebrating one of Scotland's Oldest Trading Roofing Contractors

Recognising – W G Walker & Co (Ayr) Ltd – established 1811

Hi resolution photographs will be available w/e 3rd November 2008