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Bristol-Myers Squibb, CalPortland Co., Celanese Corp., Corning Inc., Eastman Chemical Co., and Koch Industries Win EPA ENERGY STAR® Awards

The Industrial Energy Consumers of America (IECA) congratulates CalPortland Co., Corning Inc., and Eastman Chemical Co. for receiving the “2017 ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year: Sustained Excellence Award,” and Bristol-Myers Squibb, Celanese Corp., and Koch Industries for receiving the “2017 ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year: Energy Management Award” for their voluntary public-private partnership work to manage and improve energy efficiency. “This is an outstanding accomplishment that few companies achieve and says a lot about leadership and the relentless commitment in pursuit of energy efficiency improvement that benefits competitiveness and the environment,” said Paul Cicio, president of IECA.

Bristol-Myers Squibb: “We are very pleased that our environmental efforts have been recognized for the third year through the ENERGY STAR Partner program,” said Carol Ryerkerk Powell, global head and vice president of Environment, Health, Safety and Sustainability, Bristol-Myers Squibb. “This recognition is a testament to our employees who work every day across our company to promote environmental sustainability. Our corporate energy program, with the support of Energy Star tools and resources, has made a significant positive impact to the environment, to our communities and to our employees. Bristol-Myers Squibb looks forward to furthering our commitment with Energy Star as we strive to continuously improve our corporate energy management program.”

CalPortland Company: “CalPortland takes great pride in our partnership with ENERGY STAR. Being named Partner of the Year for Sustained Excellence is a tremendous honor,” said Allen Hamblen, President/CEO CalPortland. “Earning that honor for the thirteenth consecutive year is a tribute to the dedication of our employees who are proud to participate in programs that improve our energy efficiency, reduce emissions and contribute to protecting our environment.”

Celanese Corporation: “One of the key objectives of Celanese is to drive energy efficiency and cost reduction at its plants globally. Accomplishing this goal requires engaging the entire organization in energy reduction and management efforts,” said Pat Quarles, Celanese Executive Vice President and President, Acetyl Chain and Integrated Supply Chain. “Celanese is pleased to be recognized by the EPA and the DOE for our efforts, and this award recognizes the many operators, engineers and plant personnel who have worked diligently to help Celanese achieve this milestone.”

Corning Incorporated: “This award proves that from our plants, to our research labs, to our staff offices, Corning employees are dedicated to energy efficiency,” said Patrick Jackson, director of

Corning's GEM program. "Winning Partner of the Year status for a fourth year in a row not only means we use our energy wisely, but that we're constantly improving our practices and coming up with creative ways to meet new goals. It's our hope that these efforts will protect our planet for future generations."

Eastman Chemical Company: "To be recognized by the EPA six years in a row for Eastman's commitment to energy management is a tremendous honor," said Mark J. Costa, Eastman's Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer. "Eastman has been on a transformative journey to become a specialty materials company over the last several years. I'm incredibly proud of the Eastman team and their continued focus on environmental stewardship as the company portfolio evolves. To be the only chemical company to ever receive the ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year - Sustained Excellence Award is a reflection of the hard work by many people around the world every day."

Koch Industries: "At Koch, we believe the role of business in society is to provide products and services people value while using fewer resources and respecting the environment," said David Dotson, vice president - operations and compliance. "We look at effective energy management as a win-win that benefits the company, our customers, the communities in which we operate and the environment."

The Industrial Energy Consumers of America is a nonpartisan association of leading manufacturing companies with \$1.0 trillion in annual sales, over 2,300 facilities nationwide, and with more than 1.6 million employees worldwide. It is an organization created to promote the interests of manufacturing companies through advocacy and collaboration for which the availability, use and cost of energy, power or feedstock play a significant role in their ability to compete in domestic and world markets. IECA membership represents a diverse set of industries including: chemical, plastics, steel, iron ore, aluminum, paper, food processing, fertilizer, insulation, glass, industrial gases, pharmaceutical, building products, automotive, brewing, independent oil refining, and cement.