

Awards and Commendations

Recognition for excellence



ST Engineering's innovative corporate culture was recognised by industry awards and certification in the areas of business excellence, quality, safety, investor relations, corporate social responsibility and employee welfare.

Business Excellence

ST Engineering was included in the Fast Track 50 compiled by Defense News. This ranked the top 50 listed aerospace and defence companies in the US, Europe, India, Israel and Singapore with sales of under US\$10b, by their revenue growth from 2003 to 2004.

ST Aerospace subsidiary, SASCO, received Supplier of the Year (Aerospace Support) from The Boeing Company. Out of more than 10,000 Boeing suppliers in about 70 countries, SASCO is Singapore's first recipient of this prestigious accolade.

Vision Technologies Systems subsidiary, iDirect, received the Teleport Technology of the Year at Teleport Awards 2005. The World Teleport Association presents annual awards to companies and individuals who have demonstrated excellence in the field of teleport operations, development and technology.

Quality

ST Engineering received Best of its Class in the Big Manufacturing Organization category in the International Asia Pacific Quality Award 2005. This was awarded by the Asia Pacific Quality Organization.

ST Electronics received the Outstanding IQC Organisation Award from SPRING Singapore in recognition of its achievements and contribution to the innovation and quality circle movement.

ST Kinetics and its subsidiaries, Ordnance Development & Engineering Company of Singapore, Advanced Material Engineering and Allied Ordnance of Singapore, received the Meritorious Defence Partner Award (Employers) from the Singapore Ministry of Defence (MINDEF). ST Kinetics also received the Meritorious Defence Partner Award (Civil Resource Owners).

ST Electronics (Info-Software Systems) received the commendation award for its part in the Singapore Armed Forces Centre for Military Experimentation/Defence Science and Technology Agency, Defence Technology Prize 2005 Team Award.

ST Aerospace, ST Electronics and ST Marine received STAR and Gold awards at the Singapore National Innovation Quality Circle 2005.

Safety

Subsidiaries of ST Aerospace and ST Kinetics – STA Engines, STA Systems, STA Supplies, Singapore Test Services and Advanced Material Engineering – received the Annual Safety Performance Award 2005 (Silver) from the Singapore Ministry of Manpower.

ST Aerospace subsidiary, STA Engines, received a Gold Award at the 11th National Safety Innovation Team Convention 2005.

ST Marine's Benoi and Tuas shipyards received re-certification

(left) ST Aerospace subsidiary, SASCO, was recognised by Boeing as its Supplier of the Year 2004 – Aerospace Support category

(right) ST Electronics receiving a plaque of appreciation from MINDEF, in recognition of its support of the tsunami recovery efforts



(top) ST Electronics (Info-Software Systems) wins a commendation award at Defence Technology Prize 2005

(middle) Mr Dave Bettinger (right), Vice President, Engineering, of iDirect, receiving the award for Technology of the Year at the 2005 Teleport Awards for Excellence

(bottom) Mr Tan Pheng Hock, President and CEO, ST Engineering, receives the IAPQA award

The Group's community and social programmes were also recognised, as was its participation in the tsunami relief operations.

for the Det Norske Veritas (DNV) Loss Control Management Certificate – Level 8. ST Marine's US operations, VT Halter Marine, received the Award for Excellence in Safety from the Shipbuilders Council of America.

Investor Relations

In IR Magazine's Southeast Asia Awards 2005, ST Engineering was highly commended for Best Overall IR (Large Cap), Best IR Officer, Best Annual Report and Best Website.

ST Engineering received the 2005 International ARC Award (Bronze) in the category of Online Annual Report: Aerospace and Defence, for its Annual Report 2004.

Corporate Social Responsibility

ST Engineering was presented with an Associate of the Arts Award by the Singapore National Arts Council.

ST Aerospace was presented for the first time, a Community Chest Corporate Award 2005 (Bronze) by the Community Chest of Singapore for its direct donations to the charity.

ST Aerospace subsidiary, STA Engineering, as well as ST Marine and ST Kinetics subsidiaries, Chartered Pyrotechnics Industries and STA Inspection, received the SHARE Gold Award from the Community Chest of Singapore. ST Aerospace and its subsidiaries, SASCO, STA Engines, STA Systems and STA Supplies, received a SHARE Platinum Award as did ST Kinetics and its subsidiaries, Ordnance Development & Engineering Company of Singapore, Singapore

Test Services, Allied Ordnance of Singapore, Singapore Ordnance Engineering and Advanced Material Engineering. In addition, ST Kinetics also received the 10 Year Outstanding SHARE Award.

ST Electronics was presented with a plaque of appreciation by MINDEF. This was in recognition of its support given to Operation Flying Eagle 2004/2005 in Indonesia after the tsunami tragedy.

Employee Welfare

ST Aerospace subsidiaries, STA Engineering and STA Systems, received the SAF Award for Employer – Distinguished Defence Partner from MINDEF.

ST Aerospace subsidiary, STA Systems, received the Model Worker Award 2005 from the National Trade Union Congress.

ST Aerospace and ST Kinetics subsidiaries, Advanced Material Engineering and Allied Ordnance of Singapore, received the Award for NSmen's Employers (Commendation category) from the Ministry of Home Affairs.

ST Kinetics and ST Marine received the Singapore Health Award 2005 (Gold) from the Health Promotion Board, Ministry of Health, for exemplary health promotion at the workplace. Subsidiaries of ST Aerospace – STA Engineering, SASCO, STA Systems and STA Supplies – also received the Gold award, while ST Aerospace and ST Electronics received the Platinum award.