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**Jardine Lloyd Thompson WIRM<sup>®</sup> Clients Receive  
Occupational Safety and Health Awards**

**HONG KONG, 17 June 2005** – Jardine Lloyd Thompson (JLT) proudly announces that Worker Injury Risk Management (WIRM<sup>®</sup>) clients, Jardine Engineering Corporation Ltd. (JEC) and Bachy Soletanche Group Ltd., have received Gold and Silver honours respectively under “The Hong Kong Federation of Insurers Award for Excellence in Occupational Safety and Health.”

The awards were presented as a part of the fourth annual Hong Kong Occupational Safety and Health Awards, a competition organized by the Occupational Safety and Health Council of the Government of the Hong Kong SAR to recognise organisations with outstanding achievements in the field of Occupational Safety and Health. It was the first year for this particular award category, which looks at those companies that are striving to decrease occupational accidents and diseases and provide timely occupational rehabilitation services to their injured employees to facilitate their recovery and safe and early return to work.

WIRM<sup>®</sup> is a proactive programme wherein JLT rehabilitation and claims experts work closely with employers and the injured employee throughout the entire injury period, providing the employee with effective rehabilitation and enabling companies to gain control over the claims and injury management process while protecting employee morale. Offered by JLT in Hong Kong since 2001, the programme has delivered significant results for clients, from major reductions in sick leave days and claim severity to improved productivity and employee morale.

According to JEC Chief Executive James Graham, “Since the beginning, JEC has taken great pride in its adherence to international standards in safety and the care of injured workers. The implementation of JLT’s WIRM<sup>®</sup> programme in 2002 has been an important part of our strategy and this, together with the efforts of our staff, has clearly helped us create a safer workplace.”

Speaking for Bachy Soletanche Group Ltd., Managing Director Yves Chiffolleau relates that, “We see the WIRM<sup>®</sup> programme as a benefit for both Company and members of staff. Injured employees receive immediate and appropriate treatment and as the Employer, we have a better understanding of the situation and reduced costs. Both parties also benefit from the greatly improved Employer/Employee relations.”

On learning of the awards, JLT’s Managing Director, George McGhie said, “Many congratulations to JEC and Bachy Soletanche Group Ltd. on their richly deserved awards. We are extremely proud of the central role that JLT’s WIRM<sup>®</sup> programme plays for our clients in the crucial areas of safety, rehabilitation and overall employee relations.”

For more information about the Hong Kong Occupational Safety and Health Awards, visit [www.oshc.org.hk](http://www.oshc.org.hk).

**About Jardine Lloyd Thompson:**

Jardine Lloyd Thompson (JLT), Hong Kong, a leading provider of insurance and reinsurance broking and risk management services, specializes in Employees’ Compensation, Professional Indemnity, Directors and Officers Liability and Terrorism and Political Risk insurance, and in Worker Injury Risk Management. JLT Hong Kong is a wholly owned subsidiary of Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group Plc. and a Jardine Matheson associate company. For more information call + 852 2864 5333 or visit [www.jltasia.com](http://www.jltasia.com).

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怡和保險顧問有限公司 僱員工傷風險管理(WIRM®)  
客戶榮獲職業安全健康大獎

**2005年6月17日香港訊**——怡和保險顧問有限公司（簡稱「怡和保險」）宣佈旗下僱員工傷風險管理(WIRM®)部門之客戶怡和機器有限公司（JEC）和法國地基建築公司，分別榮獲香港保險業聯會職業安全健康大獎的金獎和銀獎。

香港職業安全健康大獎由香港特別行政區政府職業安全健康局舉辦，旨在嘉許在促進工作場所安全與健康方面取得卓越成就的機構組織。是次所授予的獎項是第四屆香港職業安全健康大獎的一部份，今年首度頒發該類別獎項，以表彰那些傑出的機構，能致力減少職業意外與疾病，並即時為工傷僱員提供康復服務，助其早日康復及安全返回工作崗位。

僱員工傷風險管理是一項積極康復項目，負責僱員工傷風險管理(WIRM)的怡和保險僱員工傷復康專家及理賠專家，與僱主和工傷僱員在該僱員工傷期間全程緊密合作，為僱員提供有效的復康服務，並在維持員工士氣的同時，幫助公司妥善處理理賠和工傷管理程序。WIRM 由怡和保險自2001年在香港推出以來，取得顯著成果：採用 WIRM 之公司的員工病假天數和理賠數額均較之前有所減少，同時公司的生產力和員工士氣亦有所提高。

怡和機器有限公司（JEC）行政總裁 James Graham 表示：「我們值得引以為豪的是，JEC 從一開始就能嚴格遵循國際安全標準，對工傷僱員的關愛有加。2002年開始實施 WIRM® 是公司策略的重要組成部份之一，在全體員工的努力下，我們協力創造出更為安全的工作環境。」

法國地基建築公司董事總經理 Yves Chiffolleau 表示：「我們認為公司和員工均受惠於 WIRM®的實施。工傷僱員能即時獲得適當治療，與此同時，我們對實際狀況及支出的減少也有了更全面及深入的瞭解。公司和員工亦受惠於大大改善的公司與員工關係。」

怡和保險總經理 George McGhie 在得知獲獎後表示：「熱烈恭賀 JEC 和法國地基建業公司近期所取得的卓越成就。我們非常自豪 WIRM® 為我們客戶在安全、復康及整體員工關係所扮演的重要角色。」

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