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## PROENERGY RECEIVES GOVERNOR'S AWARD

ProEnergy Services received the 2009 Governor's Economic Development Project of the Year award at the Governor's Conference on Economic Development, held recently in St. Louis. The award helps recognize economic development success over the past year, and highlights the company's commitment to strengthening Missouri's economy by creating opportunities and jobs. ProEnergy President Jeff Canon attended the luncheon and received the award. "I am honored that ProEnergy has been recognized for the tremendous growth we have achieved over the past year. I share this achievement with our outstanding employees and am grateful their efforts," said Canon.

The project for which ProEnergy received the award will create at least 142 new jobs by 2012. It includes nearly \$3 million in benefits over a five-year period through the Missouri Quality Jobs-High Impact Program; \$570,000 in training assistance through the New Jobs Training Program; and \$5 million through the Missouri BUILD Program. The Division of Workforce Development has also offered the company job recruitment and referral assistance with a value of \$141,000.

ProEnergy Services is an integrated service provider that delivers cost-effective, safe and reliable service to the global energy industry. The company has U.S. offices in Sedalia, MO; Atlanta, GA; Houston, TX; Tulsa, OK; and overseas locations in Argentina, Mexico, Venezuela, Pakistan, Panama and Ghana. More information is available on its website at www.proenergyservices.com.

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