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Professional engineers to be recognized for outstanding achievement at annual gala

Keynote Speaker: Gord Miller, Environmental Commissioner of Ontario

Toronto - (November 6, 2003) - Nine professional engineers will be honoured for exceptional achievement at the annual Ontario Professional Engineers Awards gala to be held on Friday, November 14 at the Toronto Airport Marriott. The event will also feature a keynote presentation from Environmental Commissioner of Ontario Gord Miller.

Members of the media are welcome to attend the keynote address and awards presentation.

What: Ontario Professional Engineers Awards Gala
Where: Toronto Airport Marriott
When: Friday, November 14, 2003
9:00 p.m. to 9:20 p.m. - Keynote Address
9:20 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. - Awards Ceremony
Who: H.D. (Douglas) Barber, Ph.D., P.Eng. (Gold Medal)
Levente Diosady, Ph.D., P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, R & D)
Wayne Doran, P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, Engineering Excellence)
Peter Hiscocks, P.Eng. (Citizenship Award)
Hanif M. Ladak, Ph.D., P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, Young Engineer)
Jennifer Moylan, P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, Young Engineer)
William Rowan, P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, Entrepreneurship)
Larry Seeley, Ph.D., P.Eng. (Engineering Medal, Entrepreneurship)

Background information

Presented since 1947, the Ontario Professional Engineers Awards recognize outstanding individuals for engineering excellence and community service. In 2003, the annual awards program is presented by Professional Engineers Ontario and the Ontario Society of Professional Engineers.

The Ontario Society of Professional Engineers is the voice of engineers and engineering in Ontario. It advances the professional and economic interests of its 66,000 members by working with governments, offering leading-edge professional development and valued member services.

Professional Engineers Ontario administers the Professional Engineers Act by licensing professional engineers, and setting standards for and regulating engineering in Ontario so that the public interest is served and protected. Rigorously educated, experienced, and committed to a Code of Ethics that puts the public interest first, licensed professional engineers can be identified by the P.Eng. after their names.

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