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Cranes Software receives UK Trade & Investment's New Market Entrant award

These awards felicitate Business Excellence by the Indian corporate community and recognize their contribution towards furthering the Indo UK Trade Exchanges.

Bangalore, November 29, 2006: Cranes Software International Ltd. the global scientific and engineering software products and solutions provider has won the UK Trade and Investment award as the New Market Entrant of the Year. Mr. Mike Connor UK's Deputy High Commissioner (South India) presented the award to Cranes' Chairman Dr. Rudra Pratap in a ceremony at the Cranes offices at Bangalore.

The UKTI awards are instituted under the aegis of UK Trade & Investment which is the British Government's international business development agency. The UKTI awards aim to boost UK's strong business link with India. These awards are designed to recognize and celebrate exceptional entrepreneurial and innovative talent, acknowledge vigorous bilateral trade and commerce, and the profitable partnership potential which exists between India and UK.

Speaking on the occasion Mr. Asif Khader, Managing Director, Cranes Software International Ltd said "We take this award as a manifestation of our commitment towards excellence in providing service to the global scientific fraternity. We recognize it as an embodiment of our desire to establish ever more mutually benefic linkages between the Indian and UK corporate community". This award is a high recognition for Cranes as it underlines Cranes' commitment to reach out to an ever incrementing customer base among the global scientific community.

Many of India's celebrated corporate entities were nominated for these awards in seven categories. Cranes won the award in the community of other winners which included HCL Technologies, Tech Mahindra, LogicaCMG, and ITC to name a few.

About Cranes Software International Limited

Cranes Software is a Global Scientific & Engineering Products and Solutions Company. The Company's business interests span Products, Solutions, Services and R & D in future technologies. Cranes Software addresses the Scientific & Engineering software related needs of large multinational companies, governments, defense establishments, educational and research institutions.

Today, Cranes Software has its presence in 38 countries across the world and has a 350,000 strong global user base. Cranes Software offers a range of proprietary products - SYSTAT, SigmaPlot, SigmaStat, SigmaScan, TableCurve 2D, TableCurve 3D, PeakFit, AutoSignal, AnalytiX, iCapella, Alerts, InventX, NISA, and world-renowned products from reputed principals such as The Mathworks, Texas Instruments and IBM.

With a mission statement to provide its customers the best in scientific technology and to enable its customers to define new limits, Cranes Software is setting new standards in the scientific and engineering field.

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