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## **SES scoops another award for Best Practice**



*Steve Joyce and Simon Preston (both SES) collect Best Practice Award*

Hot on the heels of its success at the H&V News Awards in London last month, SES is delighted to announce that it has picked up another award at this year's Constructing Excellence Awards in Newcastle.

Held at the Marriott Gosforth Park Hotel in Newcastle on Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> May, Operations Director for SES North East, Steve Joyce, was presented with the prestigious CIBSE, Building Services Best Practice Award.

Awarded to the organisation that "complies with the spirit and standards of best engineering practice in Design and Procurement of Building Services, associated within the built environment", applications were judged on the calibre of the building services "solutions" in respect of low energy, carbon footprint and their entire supply chain.

The SES submission highlighted two of its recently completed projects in the North East – BOHO One and Newcastle International Airport Hotel. Judges were specifically impressed with the way that SES integrated the SES PRISM solution, along with their "Build, before we build" philosophy, into both projects. They also noted "a marked improvement" in its technical capabilities year on year, providing fully co-ordinated visualisation and 3D virtual reality for its clients.

Steve Joyce, Operations Director for North East said, "This award is a Company award, and is a culmination of a lot of effort by all departments working together to maximise efficiencies throughout our business. We have to also thank our clients BAM, Tolent and Shepherd Construction for allowing us to showcase our best practice through their projects."

The Awards proved to be a hugely successful night, bringing together over 500 individuals, from large and small businesses, to celebrate the achievements of projects and organisations within the Construction Industry.

For more information on the H&V News Awards visit [www.cene.org.uk](http://www.cene.org.uk) or, to read more about SES, simply click on [www.ses-ltd.co.uk](http://www.ses-ltd.co.uk)

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**Editor's Notes**

1. SES is an award winning, industry leading building services company working for the Public and Private sectors - including Education, Healthcare, Retail, Leisure, Commercial, Industrial and Waste.
2. SES operates throughout the UK, with its Head Office in York. SES also has offices in Newcastle, Manchester, Sheffield, Coventry, Bristol, London, Slough and Swindon.
3. SES employs approximately 700 people including a wide base of skilled craftsmen and a multi-disciplinary in-house design team.
4. Since its foundation more than 40 years ago, the business has been a recognised leader for quality, innovation and training and is accredited by Investors In People.
5. SES was the first building services company in the UK to achieve the OHSAS18001:1999 safety accreditation, awarded by the British Standards Institute in 2003, and is also accredited to the environmental standard ISO 14001:2004
6. SES PRISM is the offsite prefabrication division of SES, designing, engineering and manufacturing prefabricated building services modules.
7. SES PRISM was accredited with the ISO9001:2008 for Quality standards by the BSi in March 2010.
8. Shepherd FM is the facilities management division of Shepherd Engineering Services Ltd (SES)
9. SES was named 'Contractor of the Year' in 2010 at the H&V News Awards.
10. SES is part of Shepherd Group, one of the largest family owned private companies in Europe, with a Group turnover in excess of £700 million.