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**SES opens a new office in Bristol**



*Photo of new SES office in Bristol*

SES is delighted to announce the opening its new office in Bristol. This follows on from the recent opening of a new office in Central London to cater for the continued growth of the business.

Strategically positioned to support the SES regional client base and geographically situated to cover operations in the South West, SES opened the doors of 130 Aztec West, Park Avenue, Bristol at the beginning of April 2010.

The new office has been fitted out to accommodate all the functions of our operational business and support teams that are working on a number of projects in and around the South West region, including the newly secured contract at Queen Elizabeth Secondary

School in Wimborne and the £7.1 million contract to install the services at the Standard Life Investments' Newbury Parkway development.

Robert Doherty, Divisional Director for SES West & Central said, "SES is pleased to open its latest office in Bristol. The location of this office represents our commitment to the South West's regional operations and allows us to better serve our growing client base as we continue to expand in the area.

Nick Cox, who is responsible for SES South West Operations is delighted with the new office and the recent project wins helps to cement SES's position in the South West. He commented,

"We have been in the South West for some years now and this new office reinforces our long term commitment to our clients and employees. We are very positive about the outlook in the South West. Our continued growth, through delivering innovative solutions with our key customers in our focused sectors of Education, Health, Energy, Waste, Nuclear, Pharmaceutical and Commercial, will provide a sustainable future for this new office."

SES is a national provider of mechanical & electrical and facilities management services solutions, delivered through a network of regional offices in Newcastle, Manchester, Sheffield, Coventry, London, Slough, Swindon and York.

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#### **Editors 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 was named 'Best Building Services Company' in 2009 in the Construction News, Specialists Awards.
7. SES PRISM is the offsite prefabrication division of SES, designing, engineering and manufacturing prefabricated building services modules.
8. SES PRISM was accredited with the ISO9001:2008 for Quality standards by the BSi in March 2010.
9. Shepherd FM is the facilities management division of Shepherd Engineering Services Ltd (SES)
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.