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New Operations Director brings vast technical expertise to SES

SES is pleased to announce the appointment of Pat Gavin as Operations Director within its London & South East Division. With over 35 years experience in the building services industry, Pat has spent the vast majority of this time specialising in logistically and technically challenging projects, including those within the pharmaceutical and healthcare sectors as well as various P21 and PFI projects.

Pat is responsible for the operational management of SES project teams working on a variety of projects in the London & South East area. Based in SES's new London office, Pat reports directly to Divisional Director, Derek Joiner who said, "Pat's role is to ensure that a 'solutions driven' approach is applied to all project activity and that we add value at each and every stage of the build process.

"He adds another dimension to our team and has already been instrumental in strengthening links with our key clients. His wealth of knowledge and depth of experience in various sectors, and on some unique facilities, will help us offer clients creative solutions."

Pat is married with four children and enjoys all outdoor pursuits, especially rugby.

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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 'Best Building Services Company' in 2009 in the Construction News, Specialists 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.