



DSCR Honors Suppliers For Valued Performance

Richmond, Va. - ECVC was honored by the Defense Supply Center Richmond as one of the government's best suppliers at an Automated Best Value System award ceremony held during the center's annual business conference June 4 – 6.

Delonta Hutcherson and Michelle Williams accepted the **gold medal** from the commander of the supply center, Navy Rear Adm. Mark Heinrich and Major Arthur B. Morrill, III the vice-director of DLA. (This is ECVC's 14th gold.)

ECVC supplies batteries to the Department of Defense and other government agencies.

Firms that qualify as Automated Best Value System medalists have met stringent quality and delivery requirements established by the Defense Logistics Agency. The Automated Best Value computerized system collects a vendor's past performance data and translates it into a numeric score, ranging from zero to one hundred.

To be eligible, vendors must have shipped 10 or more contract lines for DSCR during a 12 month rating period. To qualify for a gold medal, a contractor must have a score of 100. Those who receive a score of 99.0 to 99.9 earn a silver award. Vendors with scores ranging from 98.0 to 98.9 earn a bronze medal. In addition, vendors must have a DLA rating of 95 or better.

In October 2004, DSCR became the Defense Logistics Agency's aviation supply and demand chain manager. With this expanded responsibility, DSCR serves within the Department of Defense supply-chain as the primary source of supply for more than 1.2 million repair parts and operating supply items, with a core mission of supplying products with a direct application to aviation. These items include a mix of military-unique items supporting over 1,300 major weapons systems and other items readily available in the commercial market. DSCR's primary customers are the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marines. The center also supports other government agencies; such as the U.S. Postal Service, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, U.S. Forestry Service and Department of Transportation.

In 2006, DSCR had more than \$3.4 billion in sales and provides the best value logistics and contract management support to America's armed forces in peace and war – around the clock, around the world.

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