

Lendlease wins three bizSAFE Partner Awards

SINGAPORE, 14 February 2017 – Lendlease’s construction business and two of its retail malls, Parkway Parade and Jem, received the Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) Council bizSAFE Partner award at the bizSAFE Awards ceremony today. This is the third time that Lendlease’s construction business and second time that Jem have won the bizSAFE Partner award. In 2015, Lendlease became the first mall operator to receive the bizSAFE Partner status for all its retail malls in Singapore – 313@somerset, Jem and Parkway Parade.

Commenting on the 2017 bizSAFE Award wins, Lendlease’s Asia Head of Environment, Health & Safety, Adrian Lee said: “We are honoured to be recognised as outstanding bizSAFE Partners again this year. These awards are testament to our ongoing commitment to a culture of care. At Lendlease, we believe that everyone has a right to go home safely to their loved ones. These awards spur our employees and partners on our safety journey to greater heights.”

Lendlease adopts a robust risk management approach aimed at preventing the introduction and release of harm to workers. This approach includes Lendlease’s unique Global Minimum Requirements (GMRs), an Environment, Health & Safety (EH&S) framework that seeks to go beyond local statutory requirements and has a focus on preventive measures to avoid incidents and allow effective management of critical risk events.

Ensuring that workers have the right competencies to complete their tasks safely is vital; the Lendlease Academy is a newly set-up inhouse training centre providing core EH&S courses and high-risk modules to upskill contractors and subcontractors.

An enhanced facial biometric access control system has been developed for deployment at selected Lendlease project sites, tracking work hours clocked by each worker to manage the risk of fatigue and the ratio of supervisors to workers for adequate frontline supervision. The biometric system is also integrated with a training and certification database to ensure only workers with the right competencies and valid permits are deployed.

In line with bringing contractors along its safety journey, Lendlease’s construction business has raised its pre-qualification criteria for high risk trade contractors from bizSAFE Level 3 to bizSAFE Star – the highest level of recognition for excellence in WSH management – and actively engages contractors to pursue the next bizSAFE level. Through these efforts, 76% of direct contractors are now bizSAFE Star-certified compared to 52% in 2015.



In caring for the health and welfare of workers, Lendlease organizes basic health screening for workers on all project sites, with at-risk cases flagged out for follow up checks. On-site welfare facilities such as sheltered canteens, well-equipped rest areas and toilets with shower facilities provide a comfortable work environment for workers.

As bizSAFE Partners, Lendlease's malls have similar pre-qualification criteria and assist contractors who are interested in progressing to the next level of bizSAFE certification, offering guidance on relevant accredited training courses and organising talks and classes to develop their competencies. Additionally, Lendlease actively engages other stakeholders like tenants and the public on health and safety. The malls will be collaborating with the WSH Council as part of the StartSAFE program to visit tenants' work premises and guide them in adopting good WSH practices and attaining bizSAFE recognition.

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