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Wolseley wins two SAM awards

BURLINGTON, ON – Wolseley Canada is proud to announce its double win at the recent SAM Awards Gala, presented by The Canadian Home Builders' Association – Calgary Region.

Wolseley's Kitchen & Bath Classics (KBC) was the winner of a SAM Builder's Choice – Partner Award in the Supplier of Products (with showroom) category.

KBC also took second place in the Grand SAM Partner of the Year category. Not only was this a surprise nomination for Wolseley, but also important industry recognition as the award considers all suppliers across all categories.

"We are very proud of these awards," said Allison Turcotte, Business Development Manager for Southern Alberta. "We have an amazing team that works unbelievably hard, and this award belongs everyone for the fantastic job they do."

Rounding out Wolseley's first and second place standings, KBC placed third out of 38 entries in the extremely competitive category of Best Brochure.

The winners' names were announced the evening of Saturday, April 17, 2010 at the 23rd Annual SAM Awards Gala. Over 1,200 guests, representing every sector of the industry, were on hand to salute the 2009 SAM Award finalists and the award recipients.

For more information on KBC and a listing of our locations, please visit <http://www.wolseleyinc.ca/showrooms/kitchen.htm>.

About Wolseley Canada

Wolseley Canada is a market leader in the wholesale distribution of plumbing, heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration, engineered pipe, waterworks, fire protection, pipes, valves and fittings and industrial supplies products. Headquartered in Burlington, Ontario, the company operates approximately 225 branches across Canada.

Wolseley Canada's parent company, Wolseley plc, is the world's number one distributor of plumbing and heating products to the professional market and a leading supplier of building materials and services. Wolseley plc is listed on the London Stock Exchange (LSE: WOS) and is in the FTSE 100 index of listed companies.