# FIRE, SAFETY & SECURITY AWARDS



# Fire Safety Product of the Year

This category recognises a fire safety product that has demonstrated outstanding performance, innovation, and impact in protecting life and property.

#### Innovation, Effectiveness & Performance

- Is the product original or a significant improvement on existing solutions?
- Does it address a current or emerging fire safety challenge (e.g., lithium-ion battery fires, smart buildings, false alarms)?
- How well does the product perform its intended fire safety function (e.g., detection, suppression, containment, communication)?

### **Compliance & Certification**

- Is the product fully compliant with applicable national and international fire safety standards (e.g., UL, EN, CE, FM, NFPA)?
- Has it been independently tested or third-party approved?
- Are there test results, certifications, or case studies demonstrating reliability in real-world conditions?

# Scalability & Versatility

- Can the product be used effectively across different settings (e.g., residential, commercial, industrial, high-risk environments)?
- Is it adaptable to various sizes or configurations?

# User Experience & Accessibility

- Is the product easy to install, maintain, and operate?
- Does it improve the user experience for building occupants, facility managers, or emergency responders?

#### Integration, Sustainability & Environmental Impact

- Is the product environmentally friendly (e.g., low emissions, recyclable, PFAS-free, low water use)?
- Has sustainability been considered in the design, materials, or lifecycle?
- Does the product integrate smoothly with modern fire systems, building management systems (BMS), or smart technologies (IoT)?

# **Customer Satisfaction & Support**

- Do customers report high satisfaction with the product?
- Are there endorsements, testimonials, or client feedback from fire professionals, building owners, or users highlighting its effectiveness and value?

#### \*Legal proceedings

If your company has been subject to any prosecution in relation to fire safety law or health and safety law since 1 January 2022, or has been subject to any enforcement notices, then your entry will automatically be disqualified