# FIRE, SAFETY & SECURITY AWARDS



# Health & Safety Team of the Year - Public Sector

This category will recognise a H&S team that has demonstrated outstanding performance, collaboration, and impact in advancing safety within the public sector.

#### **Team Impact & Achievements**

- Show how the team made a measurable difference in risk reduction, response effectiveness, or public safety?
- Has the team demonstrated exceptional performance during real incidents, drills, or emergencies?
- Give evidence of successful health & safety campaigns, emergency responses, or safety audits?

#### **Collaboration & Teamwork**

- Does the team show strong internal cooperation and coordination?
- Have they collaborated effectively with other departments, emergency services, or external stakeholders?

## **Innovation & Initiative**

- Has the team developed or implemented innovative strategies, tools, or procedures?
- Have they gone beyond standard duties to proactively improve safety?

## **Compliance & Best Practices**

- Does the team maintain high compliance with fire safety regulations, policies, and inspection routines?
- Have they contributed to developing or refining internal safety protocols?

## **Training & Professional Development**

- Has the team maintained a high level of expertise through ongoing training?
- Do they mentor others or promote continuous learning within the organisation?

#### **Endorsements & Recognition**

• Are there testimonials, commendations, or records of praise from peers or stakeholders?

#### \*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

# Essential tips for a successful entry

A successful application must try to address all of the points above. Marks will be allocated only on the evidence provided.

Use the headings shown to highlight your answers to those specific questions. Include information on your exceptional successes during the year such as systems, innovations or techniques that have reaped significant benefits.

**Concentrate on facts that can be substantiated.** Attachments can be included, which are particularly important for the judges to be able to see your successes or innovations.

Please remember that ONLY THE FIRST 2000 words of core information (and supporting material that you may have provided) of your submission will be assessed