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Aquatrine win utility industry achievement award for smashing consumption targets 11 years early!

BIRMINGHAM, UK – 16 December 2010 - The partnership between C2C Services, Kelda Water Services Defence and Veolia Water Nevis known as Aquatrine Suppliers Association, which is responsible for keeping Britain's military personnel supplied with water, has smashed its target for reducing water consumption – a staggering 11 years ahead of schedule.

Aquatrine Suppliers Association delivers water and wastewater services for Ministry of Defence (MOD) sites across England, Scotland and Wales. The partnership met its Government target to cut water consumption by 25 per cent by the year 2020 in 2009.

On 6th December, Team Aquatrine won the national 2010 Utility Industry Achievement Award for Supply Chain Excellence, with the judges praising the project for bringing together diverse partners. It has built strong relationships and the collaboration brought results more than a decade ahead of schedule by exceeding government sustainability targets just five years after the government targets were set.

By applying the latest techniques and technologies in leakage detection and repair across the Defence estate, the team has been able to deliver savings equivalent to 10 Olympic-sized swimming pools every day.

Dave Godfrey, General Manager of C2C Services Ltd., stated; "Winning this award is a fantastic achievement for Aquatrine and shows the clear benefit of having industry experts managing the water networks across the MOD estate."

About C2C Services

Coast to Coast Water Limited is focused on delivering the Aquatrine Package C contract to the MOD with C2C Services Ltd providing the expertise and experience in operational management. C2C, a company established by the Severn Trent Group and Costain, offers extensive process knowledge, extremely high standards in Health and Safety and a commitment to achieving the highest environmental standards. Our aim is to work closely with



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our customers to meet their individual needs, from ensuring the quality of water supply to providing access to timely and accurate utility data, we strive to demonstrate our standards of excellence and expertise nationwide.

About Aquatrine Suppliers Association

The Aquatrine Suppliers Association is a partnership between Defence Estates (part of the Ministry of Defence (MOD) responsible for managing and maintaining land and properties), Kelda Water Services Defence, Veolia Water Nevis and Coast To Coast (C2C), a company owned by Severn Trent and Costain. Together, these companies provide water and wastewater services across the MOD estate.

About Severn Trent Services

Severn Trent Services (www.severntrentservices.com), with global headquarters in Fort Washington, Pa., USA, is a leading supplier of water and wastewater solutions. The company's broad range of products and services is concentrated around disinfection, instrumentation and filtration technologies, and contract operating services. Our analytical services group is the United Kingdom's leading environmental testing organization, and our international operating services business provides worldwide contract operation and support for all aspects of water and wastewater utility operational development and business transformation. Severn Trent Services is a member of the Severn Trent Plc (London: SVT.L) group of companies. Severn Trent is a FTSE 100 company.

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