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STL Awarded 18001 Certification

COVENTRY, United Kingdom – August 13, 2009 – [Severn Trent Laboratories \(STL\) Ltd](#) have recently been awarded OHSAS 18001 certification, the recognised standard for Health and Safety Management Systems, by the British Standards Institution (BSI).

To achieve the certification STL had to complete a range of assessments and audits conducted by the BSI concerning Health and Safety Management Systems and processes across all of STL's eight sites. Auditors assessed health and safety procedures, safety risks, hazard identification, structured procedures documentation, laboratory and working conditions.

The OHSAS 18001 certification is a positive move for the company demonstrating STL's commitment to managing health and safety risks and hazards within the working environment. STL will continue to maintain working practices to ensure adequate and safe working conditions within the organisation.

STL are also registered under ISO 9001:2000 and ISO 14001:2004 management standards. OHSAS 18001 has been designed to be compatible with ISO 14001 and ISO 9001 enabling STL to develop an integrated management system that delivers quality and reliability of service whilst minimising environmental impact and safety risks.

About Severn Trent Laboratories

STL offer leading solutions in Water, Land and Waste analysis, providing scientific services in Chemistry, Microbiology and Ecotoxicology. We also offer a range of support services including Sampling, Scheduling, Field Services, equipment for hire, Key Account Management and Project Management to help our customers find a solutions package that meets their requirements. We are committed to delivering a reliable, consistent and quality service for our customers.

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 treatment 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 management services business provides support in 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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