Final Press Report

OS+H Asia 2016, the region's dedicated show for workplace safety and health, concludes its successful 10th edition

19 September 2016 – OS+H Asia 2016 organised by Messe Düsseldorf Asia, and held at Suntec Singapore, was a significant success and featured a strong showing at its tenth edition. From 24 to 26 August, the exhibition showcased 199 exhibitors from 25 countries, and saw a robust attendance of more than 4,500 visitors from close to 40 countries. Firmly cementing its position as Singapore's foremost exhibition and total solutions platform for occupational safety and health, the three-day exhibition also presented the largest Singapore Pavilion to date, organised by the Singapore Manufacturers' Federation, with 33 local companies showing their latest innovations, solutions and equipment for a safer and healthier workplace.

On show was also the full suite of the latest workplace safety solutions ranging from personal safety equipment, fire protection products and services, to workplace ergonomic, which were of key relevance to visitors as seen in the growing number of visiting groups and delegations. These visiting delegations included the Republic of Singapore Navy, Singapore Police Coast Guard, Molynlycke Health Care from Thailand, Easteel Services (Malaysia) SDN BHD and Ministry of Defence from Brunei Darussalam. Mr Pengiran Ali Bin Pengiran Haji Metasan, P.S.B, chief auditor of occupational health and safety from Ministry of Defence from Brunei Darussalam observed: "This is my first visit to OS+H Asia. I liked that it is a dedicated and specialised exhibition for the OSH industry. During my visit, I had the opportunity to learn about the latest products in the market and established fruitful contacts for my line of work."

The success of the exhibition was also highlighted in the feedback received from exhibitors, many of which determined to participate in the next edition in 2018. Mr Gernot Ringling, Managing Director, Messe Düsseldorf Asia commented: "We are very delighted with the strong attendance, which demonstrates the relevance and importance of OS+H Asia 2016 to the industry and the role it plays in raising awareness of appropriate OS+H strategies, as well as facilitating sourcing opportunities and business for the sector. The positive feedback received from both exhibitors and visitors is very heartening, and puts OS+H Asia in a very good position moving forward."

The success of this year's exhibition was mirrored in the Forum on Workplace Safety and Health programme that attracted over 200 participants. Jointly organised by Singapore Institution of Safety Officers; Institution of Engineers, Singapore; Institution of Occupational Safety & Health (Singapore Branch); Occupational and Environmental Health Society and Messe Düsseldorf Asia, the expert line-up focused on good practice and experience built-up from leading practitioners and organisations, emerging issues in WSH, competency requirements for WSH professionals and the latest WSH technological advances and innovations.

Commenting on the success of the exhibition and the strong product showcase and line-up of innovative safety and health solutions and beneficial business



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matching service were regular OS+H Asia visitors. Mr Lim Kok Heng, operations manager at Easteel Services (Malaysia) SDN BHD, said: "I have visited the exhibition for the past few editions and find it useful and relevant in keeping myself updated on new safety equipment and industry trends." Ms April Pascual, business development officer at SpiderKing Safety Pte Ltd, added: "There was a good mix of products at the exhibition. The business matching service was easy to navigate. As a visitor, I found the process from registration to meeting suppliers on the show floor seamless."

The next edition of OS+H Asia will take place from 22 to 24 August 2018. Participation details will be announced soon.

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About OS+H Asia 2016

OS+H Asia 2016 is the 10th edition of The Occupational Safety + Health Exhibition for Asia. Held in Singapore since its inception in 1998, it is driven by A+A, the world's leading trade fair for all aspects of Safety, Security and Health at Work, organized by Messe Düsseldorf in Germany. As the region's most important exhibition for all involved in occupational safety and health, OS+H Asia 2016 provides a wide array of products, services and applications from leading companies in the field and is augmented by strategic conferences, seminars and product demonstrations, contributing to a safer and healthier workplace for all. The exhibition runs from 24 – 26 August 2016 and is open from 10am – 6pm daily.

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