

PHI News

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PHI NAMED TOP COMPANY FOR MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

The Maryland/District of Columbia Minority Supplier Development Council (MSDC) has named PHI as its “Corporation of the Year for 2007”.

The award recognizes the company's exemplary achievements in the area of minority business development, specifically for its efforts in seeking to ensure that minority-operated business firms have a fair and legitimate opportunity to do business with the company. From contracting opportunities to mentoring relationships, training and other initiatives, the award recognizes PHI's commitment to the growth and development of minority entrepreneurs.



“This award is an affirmation of PHI's ongoing commitment to the minority business community,” said

Ernest Jenkins, Vice President, People Strategy & Human Resources, who accepted the award on the company's behalf. The awards ceremony took place in Baltimore on Nov. 16, Ernest was joined at that event by several other Supplier Diversity and PHI team members, including: **Rhonda Mencarini**, Manager, Supplier Diversity, **Charlie Partridge**, Sr. Business Development Representative, and member of the MD/DC MSDC board of directors, **Tom Graham**, President, Pepco Region, **Carmichael Walston**, Supervisor, IT Applications.

The MSDC, like other Regional Councils, certifies minority-owned businesses and helps them access member corporations that want to purchase their goods and services.