

WATERMAN WINS BRITISH EXPERTISE INTERNATIONAL AWARD

Waterman AHW is delighted to announce success at the Environmental Impact Awards at the British Expertise International Awards 2008/9.

The President of British Expertise Awards, HRH the Duke of Gloucester, presented the award to Waterman AHW Director, Barry Gore, at the awards ceremony held at The Institute of Directors in London.

The awards are designed to publicise the continuing success of professional services throughout the world, and to showcase some of the outstanding projects being carried out.

The award winning entry was for the Workplace6 commercial development in Pyrmont, Sydney developed by GPT and Citta Properties, designed by Nettleton Tribe Architects and constructed by Buildcorp. Waterman AHW were responsible for all building services design and ESD services delivery on the project.

The sustainable design includes chilled beam cooling technology, cogeneration systems using gas fired generator and absorption chiller, high efficiency electric chillers, harbour water heat rejection, black and grey water recycling (including sewer mining), advanced lighting controls with daylight compensation and dimming. Carbon dioxide monitoring for minimum outside air modulation, solar hot water heating and other energy and water efficiency measures have also been included. In addition, 25% of the electrical energy supplied to the development is from green sources and the water saving systems will save approximately 31 million litres of water each year.

The project is the first project in New South Wales to be awarded 6 Star Green Star accreditation by the Green Building Council of Australia.

Barry Gore, Director of Waterman AHW said "Waterman is very proud to have been involved in the success of Workplace6, it is a credit to the efforts of the whole design team in Sydney, the contractors and the commitment of the developers to champion the green building ethic in Australia."

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