

The Command and Control Business Unit of the Spanish multinational awarded

FICOSA HONORED BY GM AS A 2006 SUPPLIER OF THE YEAR

Barcelona, 11th of April 2007.— Ficosa has been awarded by GM as supplier of the year for its excellent performance, quality and global service during 2006.

The presentation of the award took place in Orlando, Florida (USA) on the 31st of March last, within the framework of the fifteenth edition of the gala "Best of the Best", organized by GM to award its best suppliers on world wide level.

Javier Pujol, Chief Executive Officer of Ficosa, received the award at hands of Bo Andersson, GM group vice president, Global Purchasing and Supply Chain, who said he "was proud to honour Ficosa as one of the 'Best of the Best' valuing very positively energy, hard work and dedication, of the Spanish multinational, to the success of GM."

This award is part of a global program started by GM in 1992. The winners are selected by a global team of executives from purchasing, engineering, manufacturing and logistics, of the North American manufacturer, who base their decisions on supplier performance in quality, service, technology and price. This year, General Motors honored 89 suppliers for their outstanding performance throughout 2006.

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Ficosa is being world wide supplier of GM for more than 30 years. The Spanish multinational provides GM of exterior and interior rear-view mirrors, gear shifters, parking brake levers, command and control cables (clutch, break, accelerator, door, hood...), head lamp washing systems, windshield washing systems, extendable tanks and air induction system.

In the framework of the relation Ficosa-GM, the Spanish multinational recently participated in the first edition of the "GM Tech World – Europe" held in the central office of Adam Opel in Rüsselsheim, Germany. The "Tech World" is an exclusive technological sample organized by the North American manufacturer, to give a reduced group of its strategic suppliers the opportunity to show their innovations to the executives, engineers, designers and buyers of the brand.

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