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BSRI EMPLOYEES REACH SAFE HOURS MILESTONES

AIKEN, S.C. (January 21, 2009) – Bechtel Savannah River Inc. (BSRI) construction employees at SRS reached a record-setting 22 million safe hours of work on Tuesday, January 20.

SRS is owned by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE). The WSRC Team, of which BSRI is a member, manages the contract for liquid waste disposition at the Site.

The last lost-time injury for any BSRI construction employee occurred more than 10 years ago, in June 1998.

“Almost all construction activities bring particular safety risks because of the nature of the work,” said Terrel Spears, Assistant Manager for Waste Disposition Project, DOE-Savannah River Operations Office. “I congratulate BSRI on its continued focus on keeping workers safe.”

BSRI has set a new Site record and Bechtel National record for hours worked without losing any time due to a job-related injury or illness. By surpassing 22 million safe hours, Construction forces have extended the record they set in May 2004, when they exceeded the previous Site record set by DuPont Construction in 1988. BSRI Construction also holds the Bechtel U.S. record for the project logging the most “safe hours.” To put this accomplishment in perspective, the average U.S. construction company would incur 209 lost-time injuries in 22 million exposure hours.

Kim Cassara, Vice President of BSRI, praised Construction workers and supervisors for their dedication to protecting themselves and their co-workers. “The men and women of Bechtel Construction continue to demonstrate they are the best in the business. This is just one of the many legacy milestones they have achieved over the past 19 years while performing critical work for the DOE and our country. I can’t say enough about the fantastic job they have done, and continue to do.”

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