

News Release



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FENSA sponsors G08 industry awards and wishes Registered Businesses good luck

This year G08 will once again be held at the Hilton Birmingham Metropole on Friday 3rd October.

As usual, FENSA will be one of the event sponsors at G08 together with the GGF, other industry firms and many of the trade magazines publishers.

The purpose of the Awards is to recognise individual and corporate achievement at raising and improving the standards, performance and products of the entire industry: - glazing, fenestration and relevant construction.

The awards organiser Tony Higgin commented, 'Like last year, we experienced a huge surge in the number of entries received. We have been delighted with the increase in entries but of course this and the excellent overall quality places huge pressures on the judges. G08 will be even bigger and more spectacular than last year, we look forward to seeing you there!'

Jon Vanstone, Director of Registered Businesses, FENSA said, 'In previous years, many of the award winners have been FENSA registered businesses. We hope that we will see similar successes this year. If you have been nominated for G08 this year, FENSA wishes you all the best of luck with your entry and we hope to see you at this prestigious event.'

For further information on G08, please go to www.g-awards.com. Information on FENSA is located at www.fensa.org.uk. - ends -



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Further Information:

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- FENSA stands for the Fenestration Self-Assessment Scheme. It has been set up by the Glass and Glazing Federation (GGF) and other industry bodies as a Competent Persons Scheme for the installation of replacement windows and doors.
- FENSA is the widely trusted, Government-authorised scheme which enables companies that install replacement windows and doors to self certify compliance under the Building Regulations.
- FENSA Registered Businesses undertake over 90% of installations within England and Wales.
- FENSA has over 9000 Registered Businesses.
- FENSA has sent over 6 million homeowner certificates
- Over 24% of households in England and Wales have used a FENSA registered installer.
- FENSA Registered Businesses need to meet certain eligibility criteria which include:
 - Making a commitment to comply with all laws statutory regulations and Building Regulations in force.
 - Providing the consumer with a warranty or guarantee conforming to the requirements laid down by FENSA from time to time and covering the cost of completing rectification work in respect of defect
 - "Offering" an independent insurance policy conforming to requirements laid down from time to time by FENSA to customers to cover their guarantee should they for whatever reason cease to trade. In addition where deposits are taken it is a compulsory requirement that indemnity insurance is put in place at the time that the deposit is taken from the consumer.
 - Making a commitment to comply with statutory health and safety, and waste disposal, requirements.
 - Maintaining adequate employer's liability and public liability insurance

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