

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Media Contact: Marketing Department media@altenloh.us, 419-636-6715

ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. US, INC. (ABC US) is Awarded Prestigious EcoVadis Bronze Medal for Commitment to Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility.

As the world's largest and most trusted provider of business sustainability ratings, France-based EcoVadis evaluates more than 100,000+ companies based on their sustainability practices across four themes: the environment, human rights, ethics, and sustainable procurement.



Bryan, OH, November 10, 2023, ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. US, INC., a division of ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. Group, which is celebrating its 200th anniversary this year, and the leading US manufacturer of highly engineered fasteners for use in residential and commercial building material industries under the brand names of SPAX®, TRUFAST® and TRUFAST® Walls, is proud to announce the renewal of its EcoVadis Bronze Medal for Sustainability Management in 2023 by <u>EcoVadis</u>, a globally recognized sustainability provider.

EcoVadis is the world's most trusted provider of business sustainability ratings, intelligence, and collaborative performance improvement tools for global supply chains. In its assessment, EcoVadis evaluated the policies, actions, and results of ABC US, confirming our position among the top 29% of companies in the manufacture of fabricated metal products N.E.C. industry.



The EcoVadis scorecard of ABC US provides customers with a transparent, unbiased view of how we are working towards sustainability throughout our business operations while also providing our internal teams with comprehensive feedback, benchmarking and the tools to embark upon a journey of continuous improvement.

We are honored to receive this award, which reflects our dedication to environmental sustainability and the ethical standards we uphold in our business operations and our continued focus to make a positive impact on our environment and community. EcoVadis medallions are one of the most competitive sustainability awards to attain. EcoVadis assessments are advanced and elaborate, taking months to complete, with medals awarded to just a small percentage of businesses across 200 industries and 160 countries.

"Achieving the EcoVadis Bronze Medal for sustainability management and performance for the second time demonstrates our ongoing efforts to integrate sustainability into our core operations at Altenloh, Brinck & Co. US," said Tim Hogrefe, Quality Manager. "By adhering to strict sustainability practices, we aim to minimize our environmental footprint, foster a culture of responsible business conduct, and be accountable to our customers' sustainable supply chains."

By prioritizing sustainability, Altenloh, Brinck & Co. US enhances its long-term competitiveness with our local manufacturing footprint within the United States and reputation as a socially and environmentally conscious organization. The company remains committed to collaborating with our suppliers, customers, OEM partners, and their customers to drive innovation within the engineered fastener category, promote sustainable practices, and positively impact the industry.

About ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. US, Inc.

<u>ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. US, INC.</u> is proud to manufacture and distribute engineered fasteners under the SPAX® brand name for the construction market, the TRUFAST® brand for the commercial roofing industry, and the TRUFAST Walls brand for exterior building envelopes and facades.

The company is headquartered in Bryan, Ohio, and operates a 200,000-square-foot complex consisting of engineering, manufacturing, administration, and central warehousing. ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. US, INC. is part of the <u>ALTENLOH, BRINCK & CO. Group</u> headquartered in Ennepetal, Germany which is celebrating its 200-year anniversary in 2023.

For more information and product details, visit www www.altenloh.us, www.spax.us, www.trufast.com, www.trufastwalls.com, or call 419-636-6715.