



KOCH PIPELINE COMPANY LP

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Koch Pipeline Company Earns Texas Safety Association Awards

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas –Koch Pipeline Company, L.P.'s Texas and Medford divisions each earned an Award of Merit from the Texas Safety Association for outstanding safety performance in 2003. The awards were presented in San Antonio in March.

“We salute Koch Pipeline Company’s safety record,” says Nancy Petru, chief operating officer for Texas Safety Association. “It is evident by the performance of these two divisions that Koch Pipeline and its employees are focused on working safely.”

Koch Pipeline’s Texas Division, based here, completed the year with no recordable injuries or illnesses or incidents that resulted from time away from work. Koch Pipeline’s Texas Division includes refined products pipelines and stations in San Antonio, Waco, Austin, and Ft. Worth along with a network of crude oil stations, pipelines and the Ingleside Marine Terminal.

Koch Pipeline’s Medford Division, which includes the Sterling Pipeline natural gas liquids system in Texas, also completed the year with no recordable injuries or illnesses or incidents that resulted from time away from work.

Overall, Koch Pipeline Company, which is based in Wichita, Kan., has worked more than 3.4 million hours without a lost-time incident.

The Texas Safety Association is a non-profit Texas corporation, established in 1938 for the conservation of human life and property in every field of safety and health maintenance. One of the important aspects of TSA is the recognition of organizations and individuals for their achievement in the prevention of accidents.

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