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Metech Recycling Awarded Gold Leader Environmental Award

October 6, 2010 Denver, CO - Metech Recycling was named a Gold Leader in the Environmental Leadership Program by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) in a ceremony in Denver. Gold Leaders are the highest level of achievement for this statewide reward program that recognizes environmental leaders who voluntarily go beyond compliance with state and federal regulations and are committed to continual environmental improvement and the goal of sustainability. Qualifications for Gold Leaders include continual environmental improvement goals that are verifiable and measurable, fully functioning Environmental Management Systems, and clean compliance records for 3 years before applying for the program.

Lynette Myers, Administrator of the Environmental Leadership Program Division of Environmental Health and Sustainability at CDPHE presented the award to John Miller, Vice President of National Sales, Mary Jo Lockbaum, EHS and Sustainability Manager, and Eric Anderson, Midwest Sales Manager at the event. "It is exciting to be named to the prestigious Gold Leadership level," stated Miller, "and we are pleased to share this distinction with some of our best clients who are also dedicated to environmental sustainability." Mary Jo Lockbaum noted that some of Metech Recycling's accomplishments that earned them the Gold Leadership award included diverting over 6 million pounds of electronics waste from landfills, and converting over 260 tons of wooden pallets used in Metech Recycling's transportation and storage processes into mulch. "We also supported more than 75 community electronics recycling collection events," Lockbaum stated.

Metech Recycling (www.metechrecycling.com) operates eight facilities nationwide and is a leading electronics waste recycler. With collection and de-manufacturing locations across the country, Metech Recycling is now capable of recycling 50,000 tons of e-waste per year. Metech Recycling operations are located in California, Colorado, Massachusetts, Nebraska, North Carolina, and Utah and will soon open a facility in Nevada. Metech Recycling is a Founder and Pledged e-Steward of the Basel Action Network (BAN). Nearly all materials collected and de-manufactured by Metech Recycling are fully recycled for remanufacture. No recycled materials are incinerated, landfilled, or shipped abroad to be dumped. Metech Recycling provides complete data security processing and documentation of data device destruction at all its facilities. Metech Recycling resulted from the merger of Metech International and Guaranteed Recycling Xperts in 2009. The company is owned by Centillion Environmental and Recycling Limited, a Singapore-based company.