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BERICAP RECEIVES A GOLD THAIBEV BUSINESS PARTNER AWARD 2023: SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS PRACTICES AND INNOVATION IN ASIA HONORED

Budenheim – 15. November 2023 BERICAP, one of the leading global manufacturers of plastic and aluminum closures, has received the ThaiBev Business Partner Award in Gold. The award is presented by the Thai Beverage Public Company Limited (ThaiBev), a leading beverage company in Southeast Asia and the largest in Thailand, in recognition of excellent supplier performance in quality, sustainability, innovation and competitiveness. BERICAP Malaysia scored more than 95 points in all dimensions to achieve gold status. The award underscores BERICAP's successful global efforts to meet the highest standards of quality, cost efficiency and sustainability through the continuous development and optimization of customer-oriented closures and production technologies.

Only award recipient among more than 40 F&N suppliers

BERICAP Malaysia was the only 2023 award recipient among the more than 40 suppliers to Malaysian beverage company Fraser & Neave (F&N), which is part of the ThaiBev Group. It is also BERICAP's first ever ThaiBev Business Partner Award as an F&N partner as the ThaiBev business partner award program has only been open to F&N's suppliers since this year.

BERICAP Malaysia currently supplies high-quality closures for carbonated soft drinks (CSD) and mineral water to F&N. Further production lines for BERICAP's resource-saving lightweight closures are planned for 2024 to drive sustainable growth in the F&N partnership.

Award consolidates partnership with world-renowned brewery group

ThaiBev's Business Partner Award Program contenders include strategic business partners and critical suppliers, suppliers with strong business relationships, and suppliers with high volumes and transactions.

ThaiBev is behind F&N as well as the globally-renowned Thai beer brand Chang. The group also owns SABECO, the largest beverage producer and brewery in Vietnam, which has two of the nation's best-selling beer brands, Bia Saigon and 333.

The Business Partner Gold Award ultimately honors BERICAP's uncompromising pursuit of continuous innovation in beverage closures to pave the way to sustainable success for customers around the globe.



Photos



Photo 1: The BERICAP MALAYSIA team sharing a happy moment with partners from F&N and ThaiBev after receiving the Gold ThaiBev Business Partner Award 2023.

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Photo 2: BERICAP's Gold ThaiBev Business Partner Award 2023.

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About BERICAP

BERICAP is one of the leading global manufacturers of plastic and aluminum closures, with 29 production plants serving customers in over 100 countries across the world. With specialized R&D centers and its own mold shop, BERICAP is ideally equipped for the development of innovative and climate-friendly closures and to support its customers' success with a comprehensive portfolio of products.

Best manufacturing practices at BERICAP are centrally coordinated and regularly reviewed at each plant to ensure superior quality. All BERICAP plants are ISO 9000 and BRC-IOP or ISO 22000-certified. Its highest priorities are product safety, consumer convenience and design flexibility, as well as process safety and sustainability. BERICAP is particularly committed to material reduction through the development of lightweight designs and the use of bio-based and recycled materials (PCR). In this way it is helping to conserve natural resources and advance closed loop material cycles in the packaging industry.

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