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**CELESTICA RECOGNIZES AMPHENOL WITH  
FIRST-YEAR GLOBAL SUPPLIER AWARD**

Wallingford, Connecticut. August 5, 2004. Amphenol Corporation (NYSE-APH) today announced that its Interconnect Systems Group was awarded a first-year *Partners in Performance* award by Celestica, a world leader in electronics manufacturing services (EMS), for its contribution to the company.

“Amphenol is very pleased to be recognized by Celestica. Our strong global presence, diversified reach across industries, and breadth of products and technologies provide Celestica a superior supply solution,” said Jamie Fraser, Senior Vice President and Group General Manager for Amphenol’s Interconnect Systems Group. “Our customer focus, quality, and on-time delivery provide for a synergistic relationship with a world class company such as Celestica. We look forward to enhancing this relationship and our worldwide business with such an industry leader” said Ray Strauss, General Manager for Amphenol’s Interconnect Products operation.

Celestica’s *Partners in Performance* awards are given annually to a select few of their suppliers, in recognition of their support of Celestica’s supply chain management objectives and dedication to customer service. The 2003 *Partners in Performance* winners demonstrated flexibility and responsiveness, impact on asset management, effectiveness and efficiency, and overall performance excellence.

“As a recognized leader in quality, technology and supply chain management, Celestica’s key suppliers contribute significantly to the company’s overall success in the EMS industry,” said Robert Shanks, Chief Supply Chain and Procurement Officer, Celestica. “We’re proud to recognize Amphenol with a first-year *Partners in Performance* award and we value their contribution immensely.”

Amphenol Corporation is one of the world's leading producers of electronic and fiber optic connectors, cable and interconnect systems. Amphenol products are engineered and manufactured in the Americas, Europe and Asia and sold by a worldwide sales and marketing organization. The primary end markets for the Company's products are communication systems for the converging technologies of voice, video and data communications, industrial/automotive and military/aerospace applications.

For more information on Amphenol, visit [www.amphenol.com](http://www.amphenol.com) or contact the Company at (607) 754-4444.

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