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3M Receives National Law Enforcement Award

ST. PAUL, Minn. – The 3M Corporation was presented ATF's Honor Award by Acting Director Michael Sullivan and Attorney General Michael Mukasey at ATF's 12th Annual Award Ceremony held July 31 in Washington, D.C. David Schrimp, director of Corporate Security and Lou Ortiz, Uniformed Services manager received the award on behalf of 3M. The event honored law enforcement officers, citizens and ATF employees for acts of heroism, service and commitment to public safety. The ceremony was emceed by NBC Today Show Host Al Roker.

The ATF Honor Award is given in recognition of significant acts by non-bureau employees. 3M was nominated for this award due to their on-going support of law enforcement by providing technologies, solutions and access to 3M facilities for a variety of critical investigations.

Schrimp and Ortiz were accompanied by Bernard Zapor, special agent in charge of ATF's St. Paul Field Division whose office nominated 3M for this prestigious award. "3M's culture of innovation and commitment to public/private partnerships has directly served to improve law enforcement and has assisted ATF's mission to reduce violent crime in the United States," said Zapor.

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