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Franklin Mitsubishi Facility Certified in Indiana's Safety and Health Excellence Program

INDIANAPOLIS (March 7, 2017) – Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Climate Control, Inc., of Franklin, Indiana, received certification as a participating organization in the Indiana Safety and Health Recognition Program (INSHARP). As an INSHARP site, the facility is a representation of occupational safety and health program excellence for Hoosier businesses.

Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Climate Control, Inc., is a manufacturer and supplier of automotive air-conditioning systems, including the Mitsubishi Scroll Compressor, and employer of 170 workers. The facility was developed and has been at its location in Franklin for 20 years.

“INSHARP certification is well-deserved for this Franklin manufacturer,” said Commissioner of Labor Rick J. Ruble. “The Indiana Department of Labor is proud to recognize the excellence of their safety and health programs that protect their workers.”

The facility’s average total recordable cases rate for the past three years is 2.8 per 100 workers, well below the national industry average of 4.4 (according to the 2014 Bureau of Labor Statistics.) Additionally, the facility’s days away, restricted, transferred rate was 1.1, less than half of the national industry average of 2.4.

About the Indiana Department of Labor:

The mission of the Indiana Department of Labor is to advance the safety, health and prosperity of Hoosiers in the workplace. In order to make significant strides, we emphasize both enforcement and voluntary compliance by employers. Follow the Indiana Department of Labor on Twitter: [@INDeptofLabor](https://twitter.com/INDeptofLabor) and Like on Facebook: facebook.com/IndianaDepartmentofLabor.

About INSHARP:

The Indiana Safety and Health Recognition Program provides recognition to Hoosier employers that operate exemplary safety and health management systems. Certification in INSHARP is an achievement of status that will single employers out among their business peers as a model worksite for Hoosier workplace safety and health.

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