

Bentley Prince Street Named one of the Best Places to Work in Los Angeles for the Fourth Year in a Row

Company Ranks #2 among all Medium Sized L.A. Businesses

Los Angeles, CA – [August 6, 2010] [Bentley Prince Street, Inc.](#) has once again been named one of the [Best Places to Work](#) in Los Angeles by the [Los Angeles Business Journal](#) coming in at number two this year in the medium sized business category. It was announced during an awards luncheon at the Millennium Biltmore Hotel in Downtown Los Angeles on Wednesday, August 4th. Seventy-five businesses were selected as nominees in three categories: small (15-24 employees), medium (25-249 employees) and large (250+ employees) businesses. This is the fourth consecutive year that Bentley Prince Street has been honored as one of the top five in its category. The selection process includes evaluation of company workplace policies, practices, philosophy, systems and demographics combined with employee surveys that measure their experience. All of this year's honorees boasted a remarkable 92% employee engagement rating.

The Best Places to Work survey and awards program is a countywide effort designed to identify, recognize and honor the best places of employment in Los Angeles. To be considered for participation, companies fulfilled the following requirements: have at least 15 employees in Los Angeles County; be a for-profit or not-for-profit business; be a publicly or privately held business; have a facility in Los Angeles County; and be in business for one full year.

Vice President of Human Resources Rose Solis accepted the award acknowledging Bentley Prince Street associates, "We truly believe in the engagement of our associates and invest a great deal of time and effort to ensure that they understand their top strengths. We know that our associates are truly passionate, excited and that they give it their all. Even in the worst of times, they come through for us and this [award] is a designator that shows us just how much they believe in our company."

Employee surveys account for approximately 75% of the total evaluation for each company. This is a reality not lost on President Anthony Minite who adds, "Every day I am humbled by the integrity and pride of our associates who demonstrate a real love for our company. It's an amazing experience to walk through our halls and our mill and see exactly how every associate is engaged and aware of his or her individual strengths."

For four years Bentley Prince Street has entered the Best Place to Work competition and each year it has been honored in the top five for its category. In 2010 the company was named number two for recognition of its outstanding commitment to its associates, including an on-site fitness facility; two trainers and a nutritionist available at no charge; the QUEST program that encourages associate input to improve sustainability and productivity; and strengths-based organizational development and coaching. In addition to being a great honor for Bentley Prince Street, this distinction increases employee morale and enhances recruiting efforts.

About Bentley Prince Street

Defining style, color, quality and service for 30 years, Bentley Prince Street manufactures and markets award-winning broadloom and carpet tile products for commercial interiors across the globe. Bentley Prince Street is committed to sustainable commerce and innovations to integrate style and function with environmental practices through its Mission Zer® goal of eliminating any negative impact it has on the environment by the year 2020. With the industry's most comprehensive vertical carpet manufacturing facility, the company maintains third-party certification to the ISO 9001:2008 Quality Management System and the ISO 14001:2004 Environmental Management System. Based in Los Angeles County, California, Bentley Prince Street is a subsidiary of Interface, Inc., a global provider of floor coverings. For more information, please visit www.bentleyprincestreet.com and <http://bpscarpet.blogspot.com>

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