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**SMART
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Announcing the

“SMART AWARD 2015” – Recognising Progress in Social Compliance at the 2nd Annual MGMA Factory Awards Dinner

Call for Applications

The Myanmar Garment Manufacturers Association (MGMA) and SMART Myanmar are delighted to begin the call for “SMART Award 2015” applications. This award honors outstanding efforts and achieved best practices of garment factories in Myanmar.

This award will be granted to the factory that has established the greatest overall improvements regarding social compliance during the past year. Several additional factories will be recognized with honorable mentions in various fields including "innovative ideas", "best practices", and "great progress" in specific areas.

The “SMART Award 2015” is focused on three key areas: Working Conditions, Special Benefits and Workers' Participation and Communication.

Factories can either fill in the application form and send it by e-mail to Theeri Kay Thi (smartaward2015@gmail.com) or they retrieve the application at the SMART Myanmar office or MGMA office, fill it in by hand and bring the printout back together with further documents and pictures for documentation.

The closing date for applications is **Monday, 08th August 2015 at 23:59 MMT.**

After receiving the application, SMART Myanmar will select possible candidates for the award and honorable mentions. SMART staff will visit these factories in order to check and verify the measures depicted in the application. Afterwards, the award committee will review the applications from selected candidates and will select the award winner and those factories identified for honorable mentions. The committee will be composed of MGMA, SMART Myanmar and other sector stakeholders.

The award will be granted on 24th October in Yangon during the **2nd Annual MGMA Factory Awards Dinner** before an audience of 300 guests, including the award committee, brand executives and representatives from business, civil society and official authorities.

For further information and support regarding the “SMART Award 2015” and the application process please contact:

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We are looking forward to receive your application and wish you good luck for the application process!