



Press release

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Telereal Trillium takes platinum in support of facilities management

Telereal Trillium has shown its continuing support for the UK's facilities management (FM) industry by becoming one of the first platinum sponsors of the British Institute of Facilities Management (BIFM).

In a move designed to help to strengthen its role as a leader in the development of the FM profession, BIFM has developed two new supporter packages - 'Platinum' and 'Gold'. These packages recognise those organisations which through sponsorship and engagement enable the work of the Institute, allowing it to offer more events and resources to its members and the wider FM world.

Commenting on the company's decision, Telereal Trillium's managing director FM Services, Steve Castle, said: 'As a business we've had a long-standing relationship with BIFM, and many of our employees are members of the organisation. We see the role the Institute plays as being pivotal in the future growth and further professionalising of our industry so when the opportunity came up to support its work, we were delighted to do so. We're really keen to raise awareness and understanding of our industry, particularly among younger people, and we hope many more businesses join us as platinum or gold sponsors.'

Mark Nicholas, corporate account manager at BIFM, said: 'I am delighted to welcome our first supporters; it is great to have them on board. We undertook in-depth research in developing these new packages, listening to the needs of prime candidates to ensure we will best recognise and reward key supporters. Through these new packages, BIFM can recognise the significant effect that the commitment of these organisations has in enabling the Institute to provide even more, and so progress the facilities management profession.'

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About Telereal Trillium

We are experts in managing large, complex property portfolios and ensuring that accommodation supports transformational business change.

Operating in two distinct, yet complementary business areas – property partnerships and investments – over the last decade we have established a UK-wide estate of more than 8,000 buildings.

We have long-term partnerships with some of the UK's largest occupiers, including BT and the Department for Work and Pensions, and own a £6bn investment portfolio, which includes landmark buildings such as the Coutts Bank Headquarters on London's Strand.

Across our business, we focus on understanding our customers' business and property requirements and delivering them through excellent service, active asset management and innovation

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About the British Institute of Facilities Management

The British Institute of Facilities Management is the professional body for facilities management (FM) in the UK. Founded in 1993, the Institute represents and promotes the interest of members and the wider FM community. It delivers a range of services and benefits, including information, qualifications, continuing professional development, training and networking for over 12,500 individual and corporate members.

The Institute's strategy is to increase participation and collaboration, promote professional standards, support career development and build an effective relationship with the industry's different stakeholders.

Facilities management professionals are responsible for services that support business. Their roles can cover the management of a wide range of areas including: health and safety, risk management, business continuity, procurement, sustainability, space planning, energy, property and asset management. They are typically responsible for activities such as catering, cleaning, building maintenance, environmental services, security and reception.

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