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## ADAMS-MILLIS PRESENTED SEVENTH SEARS AWARD



From left, Donald Lindner, President Adams-Millis Hosiery Company; Robert Boyles, Vice President, Production and Manufacturing in Men's and Boys' Hosiery Division of Adams-Millis Hosiery; Douglas Reardon, Sears Industrial Engineer; and Phil Kessler, Sears National Boys' Hosiery Buyer.

For the seventh consecutive year, Adams-Millis Hosiery Company has been awarded the Sears "Symbol of Excellence" plaque.

The plaque was presented to employees and management of Adams-Millis Hosiery Company by Phil Kessler of Chicago, national boys' hosiery buyer for Sears. Donald G. Lindner, President of Adams-Millis Hosiery, accepted the plaque on behalf of the entire plant staff.

The award was one of 394 Sears is presenting this year to suppliers judged most outstanding among its 13,000 major merchandising sources. Adams-Millis is one of only 22 suppliers who have earned the award for the seven consecutive years since the award program was begun.

"This award is based primarily on the excellence of merchandise produced by Adams-Millis Hosiery Company for Sears during the past year," Kessler said. "It also recognizes the general excellence of Adams-Millis' performance in such matters as shipping goods on

schedule, and initiative in developing new and improved merchandise," he added. "This award is our salute to those suppliers who have, through their excellence, made great contributions to Sears' reputation for quality merchandise. It also recognizes the contribution of each employee to the superior performance of the plant."

Kessler said Adams-Millis Hosiery Company was selected for the Sears "Symbol of Excellence" by a committee representing the company's retail stores, catalog stores, national service department, quality control section and merchandise development and testing laboratory. The committee screened nominations for Sears 49 national buying departments.

Robert Boyles, Vice President of Production and Manufacturing of the Men's and Boys' Division of Adams-Millis Hosiery, said, "We are honored by this award. It was accomplished through the efforts of each and every employee in our plants. Our thanks go to Sears for this recognition, and my personal thanks go to our sales department for its splendid efforts in obtaining the orders for our plants and to everyone in our plants for the teamwork in producing the quality goods and giving our customers the service and delivery they expect and deserve." Boyles added, "We will add this 'Symbol of Excellence' to the six we already have. When we reach the floor, we hope to start another row. We are not resting on our laurels; everyone of us knows we must continue the same teamwork, we must deliver the same quality goods and we must give the same performance if we continue to enjoy the fine business with Sears, Roebuck and Company."

The largest amount paid thus far this year on a medical claim under our Group Insurance Plan was in excess of \$11,000.00. This claim was for one illness for one person and represented payment on hospital, drug and doctors' charges for 35 days of hospitalization.