

ENTRY FORM

Please tick the category you wish to be entered for. If you wish to enter for more than one category please complete a separate form for each award. Hard copies of the entry form can be requested by contacting Marilyn Waud on 01472 342981 or from the award website www.northernlincolnshirebusinessawards.co.uk. Please complete the application form as fully as possible as this will help the judges to make a fair and informed decision. All details provided will remain confidential. Please note that whilst the judges welcome receiving additional supporting material with your entry this should be relevant to the Awards application.

THE HBP SYSTEMS SMALL BUSINESS AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>	THE NATWEST INTERNATIONAL TRADE AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>
THE ABP BUSINESS GROWTH AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>	THE GRIMSBY INSTITUTE TRAINING EXCELLENCE AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>
THE NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE ENTERPRISE AWARD FOR NEW BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/>	THE CONOCOPHILLIPS EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY RELATIONS AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>
THE NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE ENTERPRISE AWARD FOR NEW BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/>	THE KIMBERLY-CLARK AWARD FOR INNOVATION <input type="checkbox"/>
THE NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE ECONOMIC INVESTMENT AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>	THE WILKIN CHAPMAN BUSINESS PERSON OF THE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/>
THE NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE ECONOMIC INVESTMENT AWARD <input type="checkbox"/>	

Business Name Number of Employees this year

Number of Employees last year Date Business Established

Address

Postcode

Contact Name Position

Principal Directors/Managers of Business

Turnover most recent year Turnover previous year Turnover year before that

Pre-tax profit most recent year Pre-tax profit previous year Pre-tax profit year before that

Web Address

Tel No.

Email

RULES OF ENTRY

The awards are open to all businesses within the boundaries of Northern Lincolnshire, except where otherwise specified. Entries are free of charge. Entries are welcome from businesses (or individuals in the case of 'Business Person of the Year Award') applying on their own or from independent nominators, having notified the nominee. Awards will be made on the basis of written entries, and if deemed necessary, personal visits by the judges to the entrants premises. The judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into before or after judging. All information received from entrants will be strictly confidential (entries are only seen by the judging panel and the category sponsor) Closing date for entries is Tuesday 15 March 2011. Announcement for winners and presentation of awards to be made at Grimsby Auditorium on Friday 20th May 2011. For more details on the rules of entry, please click here www.northernlincolnshirebusinessawards.co.uk.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR BUSINESS - please give an outline description of your business and details of the products and/or services which you provide (please continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

YOUR CASE FOR WINNING THIS AWARD - Please attach a 500 word statement (approximately) explaining why your business deserves the award you are entering for. Make sure your statement answers the specific criteria set out in the relevant category description

BRIEF HISTORY - Please provide a brief history of your business and a summary of its development

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE - Please summarise your short to long-term plans

INVESTMENT IN PEOPLE - Please provide details of staff development initiatives and how they have benefited both your business and staff (particularly relevant for Business Growth Award, Community and New Business Awards)

I confirm that all of the details submitted in the application are correct to the best of my knowledge and believe that no pertinent information has been withheld. I understand that a representative of the Chamber of Commerce or Awards Panel may contact me for further information. I agree to abide by the rules of the competition and abide by the judges decision on all matters relating to the awards.

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

Where to send your entry: Please return your completed entry form, attaching your 500 word statement by Tuesday 15th March to Marilyn Waud, Information & Administration Officer, Hull & Humber Chamber of Commerce, c/o ABP Port Office, Cleethorpe Road, Grimsby, DN31 3LL. Alternatively, email your entry form + 500 word submission and any supporting evidence to m.waud@hull-humber-chamber.co.uk