J. Kenneth Richardson Receives 2010 Society of Fire Protection Engineers Rolf H. Jensen Award

New Orleans – October 4, 2010– At its Annual Awards Luncheon, the Society of Fire Protection Engineers (SFPE) presented the 2010 Rolf H. Jensen Award to J. Kenneth Richardson.

The purpose of the Jensen award is to recognize persons who have rendered service on an SFPE committee in an unselfish, extraordinary and unusual manner above and beyond normal expectations. The award was renamed in 2002 in memory of Rolf H. Jensen and his service to the profession.

Richardson received this award for his leadership of the SFPE Ethics Committee in resolving ethics complaints and initiating modifications to the Canons of Ethics based on lessons learned. He also provided assistance to a board-level task group to better define the criteria for selection of fellows and honorary members; and for serving on the SFPE Nominating Committee.

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About Society of Fire Protection Engineers
Organized in 1950, the Society of Fire Protection Engineers (SFPE) is the professional organization that represents engineers engaged in fire protection worldwide. Through its membership of over 5,000 professionals and 65 international chapters, SFPE advances the science and practice of fire protection engineering while maintaining a high ethical standard. SFPE and its members serve to make the world a safer place by reducing the burden of unwanted fire through the application of science and technology.

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