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Conco Awarded Small Business Administration 2019 Exporter of the Year

Pittsburgh, PA (March 28, 2019) Conco Services Corporation has been named the 2019 Mid-Atlantic Region and Western Pennsylvania Exporter of the Year by the U.S. Small Business Administration. Conco's "extraordinary efforts" in increasing export growth and in helping other businesses to sell U.S. products overseas were cited in the award declaration. Dr. Mary McKinney and Brent Rondon of the Duquesne University Small Business Development Center submitted Conco's award-winning nomination to the U.S. Small Business Administration. Lilly Abreu and Sara Silva of Conco's International team supported the nomination process. The award will be presented to George E. Saxon, Jr., President of International Markets, at a special luncheon on May 14, 2019, during National Small Business Week.

Conco Services Corporation enables refineries, power generation plants and industrial process facilities to improve profitability, productivity and reliability through an integrated platform of products and services for cleaning heat exchangers and condensers. Conco's largest export markets are Japan, Canada, Australia and France, and the company has distributors and agents in over 20 countries, including subsidiaries in Belgium, Germany and Australia.

For the past 56 years, the U.S. Small Business Administration has conferred the Exporter of the Year Award to small business owners who have increased sales, profits and/or growth of employment as a result of creative overseas marketing strategies, effective solutions to export-related problems, demonstrated encouragement of other small businesses to export, voluntary assistance to other small businesses entering the export market, cooperation with other firms in the creation of export trading companies and/or introduction of unique trading relationships, products or services.

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