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## **Eurasia Tunnel gets 11th International Award**

Eurasia Tunnel was found worthy of the prize in "Maintenance and Renewal Method" category by the New Civil Engineers Magazine, the most respectable engineering magazine of the United Kingdom, for the project it realized together with Arup, aimed at enhancing the energy productivity and sustainability.

As one of the world's most successful engineering works, Eurasia Tunnel continues bringing the most respectable awards in the field of engineering to Turkey thanks to the pioneering applications it introduced to the tunneling technology.

After winning the Oscars of the engineering with its groundbreaking projects and applications, Eurasia Tunnel receives yet another award from the United Kingdom. Eurasia Tunnel was found worthy of the "Maintenance and Renewal Method" award organized by the New Civil Engineers Magazine, the most respectable engineering magazine of the United Kingdom, for the project it realized together with Arup, aimed at enhancing the energy productivity and sustainability.

The project, which was mainly targeting to enhance the environmental productivity of the intra-tunnel ventilation systems, also improved the performance of the existing equipment and prolonged their lives.

New Civil Engineers magazine's jury of 41 experts chose the winners in a total of 14 categories according to the criteria such as innovative concept, return-on-investment, environmental development, stakeholder satisfaction, improved user experience, asset management, methodology and technology.

Eurasia Tunnel and Arup executives took the award from Mark Hansford, the editor of New Civil Engineer Magazine, at a ceremony held in London.

Eurasia Tunnel was found worthy of 10 more prestigious awards before.

- EMEA Finance 'The Best Public-Private Sector Partnership' 2012
- Infrastructure Journal 'The Most Innovative Transportation Project' 2012

- Thomson Reuters PFI 'The Best Infrastructure Project Financing' 2012
- Euromoney 'The Best Project Financing Agreement in Europe' 2012
- European Bank of Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) 'Best Environmental and Social Application Award' 2015
- The International Tunneling and Underground Space Association (ITA) 'ITA Major Project of the Year' 2015
- Engineering News Record (ENR) 'The Global Best Tunnel Project' 2016
- Korean Civil Engineers Association 'Gold Category Construction Award of the Year' 2017
- Illuminating Engineering Society (IES) of the United States'Architectural Engineering Award' 2017
- International Road Federation (IRF) 'Global Achievement Award in Construction Methodology' 2017