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**KOHLER KD Series Recognized as *Product of the Year* by Leading Trade Publication**  
*Specifying engineers show support of company's comprehensive line of large diesel generators*

**KOHLER, Wis. (October 18, 2018)** – The KOHLER KD Series, the company's highly-regarded lineup of large diesel industrial generators, has been recognized as a 2018 Product of the Year by readers of *Consulting-Specifying Engineer* magazine. The publication's annual Product of the Year competition identifies the best new products in twelve key industrial categories and then lets readers vote for their favorites. This year, the KOHLER KD Series was recognized with a Gold Award – the top level of recognition – in the Emergency, On-Site, and Standby Power category.



“It's certainly rewarding to be singled out as a leader in our field,” said Jim Rummel, senior product manager for KOHLER industrial generators. “The reception to the KOHLER KD Series has been very positive in targeted industries all around the world. These generators feature powerful, technically-advanced KOHLER engines and are highly customizable to match an end user's specific requirements. Multiple options are available to ensure optimal performance for the most demanding applications.”

The KOHLER KD Series generators are available in nodes ranging between 800 kW and 4 MW. The entire line is backed by a comprehensive three-year warranty, a full complement of genuine KOHLER aftermarket parts, and a global service and support network. Designed to deliver extreme durability and ultimate reliability in a variety of emergency and prime applications, the KD Series is ideal for numerous industries, including data centers, healthcare, water treatment, oil and gas, telecommunications, mining, and more.

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A global force in power solutions since 1920, KOHLER is committed to reliable, leading-edge products and comprehensive after-sale support. The company provides complete power systems, including generators (portable, marine, residential, commercial and industrial), automatic transfer switches, switchgear, monitoring controls, and accessories for emergency, prime power and energy-management applications all around the world.

**About Kohler Co.**

Founded in 1873 and headquartered in Kohler, Wis., Kohler Co. is one of America's oldest and largest privately held companies. With more than 55 manufacturing locations worldwide, Kohler is a global leader in the manufacture of engines and power systems; kitchen and bath products; and owner/operator of two of the world's finest five-star hospitality and golf resort destinations in Kohler and St Andrews, Scotland. For more details, please visit

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