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LUKOIL RECEIVES AWARDS FOR PROJECTS IN THE FIELD OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES

Three organizations of LUKOIL Group became winners of the III National Award in the field of environmental technologies "ECOTECH-LEADER 2023".

RITEK LLC and LUKOIL-Ekoenergo LLC were recognized as the best in the nomination "Alternative Energy" for projects on environmentally friendly, CO<sub>2</sub>-neutral industrial pyrolysis of hydrocarbon gas to produce hydrogen and carbon nano-tubes, and also on the modernization of a small hydroelectric power plant (1.5 MW) on the Beshenka River in Krasnaya Polyana.

In the nomination "Ecomonitoring", the award was received by LUKOIL-Nizhnevolzhskneft LLC for a project on a stationary environmental monitoring system using bottom stations.

LUKOIL Group organizations became finalists in the following nominations: "Biodiversity conservation" (Varandeysky Terminal LLC), "Reduction of harmful emissions into the atmosphere" (RITEK LLC), "Alternative Energy" (LUKOIL Kubanenergo LLC), "Successful regional environmental project" (Stavrolen LLC), "Water supply and water resources management" (LUKOIL-Yugnefteprodukt LLC), "The best environmental program of the enterprise" (LUKOIL-Western Siberia LLC).

*Information:*

*ECOTECH-LEADER is an annual national award in the field of environmental technologies, which is awarded for achievements in the development, implementation and promotion of advanced environmental technologies as an essential element of the ESG agenda in the field of ecology and environmental management.*