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## **Screen Machine Industries Achieves Gold Status in I Make America Campaign**

*Pro-Manufacturing Policies Pursued to Improve Economy*

The [Association of Equipment Manufacturers](#) (AEM) announces that Screen Machine Industries has joined the elite ranks of the I Make America campaign's Gold-level company supporters.

[I Make America](#) is a grassroots campaign that was launched in September 2010 to dramatically improve American manufacturing policies to create more jobs in the U.S. and keep our economy competitive with other countries.

"We commend Screen Machine Industries for achieving Gold status in the I Make America campaign," said Dennis Slater, president of the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM). "As a member of AEM, Screen Machine Industries exemplifies the commitment we need from all manufacturers around the country to send the message to Congress and the White House that our economy is in urgent need of a new manufacturing policy that will create jobs."

"I am proud that Screen Machine Industries is a strong promoter of the I Make America campaign," said Steve Cohen, president of Screen Machines Industries. "It is important to promote the modernization of America's infrastructure to remain competitive in the global economy. Reducing the cost and time frame to export our products to market through road, rail and port is the key to successful commerce."

I Make America Gold-Level supporters are an important group of companies that have achieved participation benchmarks marking them as industry leaders, including significant employee involvement; outreach to their state, local and federal legislators; promoting campaign sign-ups at trade shows and with allied trade associations; and production of [A Day in American Life](#) video telling the story of how their companies, employees and communities "make America."

The campaign has enlisted the support of more than 22,000 people nationwide, AEM's 850+ member companies, and industry organizations.

To learn more about **I Make America**, visit us at [www.IMakeAmerica.com](http://www.IMakeAmerica.com). View short videos of employees and small business owners around the country telling the real life stories of how manufacturing affects the national economy at [www.ADayinAmericanLife.com](http://www.ADayinAmericanLife.com).

Keep up to date on the latest **I Make America** campaign news on **Twitter** @IMakeAmerica and on **Facebook** at [www.Facebook.com/IMakeAmerica](http://www.Facebook.com/IMakeAmerica).

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**About the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM) – [www.aem.org](http://www.aem.org)**

AEM is the North American-based international trade group providing innovative business development resources to advance the off-road equipment manufacturing industry in the global marketplace. AEM membership comprises more than 850 companies and more than 200 product lines in the agriculture, construction, forestry, mining and utility sectors worldwide. AEM is headquartered in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, with offices in the capitals of Washington, D.C.; Ottawa, Canada; and Beijing, China.