

## TRITON SUBMARINES CEO AND CO-FOUNDER HONORED WITH THE ORDER OF CANADA

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**July 2, 2024—Sebastian, FL**—Triton Submarines CEO and Co-Founder Patrick Lahey has recently been appointed to the Order of Canada, one of the highest honors in the country, for his outstanding achievement and service to the nation.

The Order of Canada is a Canadian national order; acceptance is the second highest honor for merit in Canada's systems of orders, decorations, and medals. The order was established in 1967 as a fellowship that recognizes the outstanding merit or distinguished service of Canadians who make a significant difference to Canada through lifelong contributions.

The order's Advisory Council receives each of the six to eight hundred nominations submitted each year by any person or organization. Along with the governor-general, the council makes the final selection of new inductees, typically by consensus rather than a vote. These exceptional individuals come from various sectors, and past nominees include scholars, military personnel, musicians, film directors, actors, and scientists.

Patrick Lahey commented: "I was humbled to learn of my appointment to the Order of Canada. This is one of my country's highest honors, and it's deeply meaningful for me to be recognized in this way. When I consider the other Canadian Underwater Mentors' I know who have received this honor (Dr. Joe Macinnis, Dr. Phil Nuytten, and James Cameron), it's particularly meaningful."

Patrick's four decades-long career has seen him make remarkable contributions to the field of submersibles and deep-sea exploration, which have also had a significant global impact. As one of the world's pre-eminent experts on submersibles, Patrick has led Triton in developing an entire range of human-occupied submersibles. These vessels are known for their exceptional viewing, simplicity of operation, reliability, and safety. Triton Submarines have opened new frontiers in ocean exploration.

Patricks' dedication, innovation, commitment to the industry, and passion for ocean preservation inspire Triton's mission to explore the unknown depths and raise awareness about our planet's fragile marine ecosystems.

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## **About Triton Submarines, LLC**

Triton Submarines of Sebastian, Florida, is the most experienced civil submarine producer in the world today – and the only contemporary manufacturer of acrylic and titanium pressure-hull-equipped personal submarines to deliver multiple classed and certified vessels with rated diving depths as shallow as 100 meters to depths as great as 11,000 meters. Triton Submarines' senior staff have over 400 years of combined experience with more than 100 different submersibles, and their operations team members have together logged over 35,000 dives. Triton clients also enjoy superlative after-sales service and technical support from a company dedicated to their total satisfaction.

Triton Submarines, through its delivered 36000/2 model and contribution to the Five Deeps Expedition, engaged in record-breaking dives to the deepest point of the world's five oceans with the first submersible ever certified for Full Ocean Depth operation.

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