PayPoint hails the winners at 2012 Retail Industry Awards

Welwyn Garden City, 2 October 2012: Last week's 2012 Retail Industry Awards at the Grosvenor House Hotel in London saw seven PayPoint retailers receive awards for being the best in the business. One – Crawfords of Maghera, County Londonderry – walked away with two of the coveted awards, the only independent retailer to do so.

The winning retailers were:

Independent Retailer of the Year (3,000 sq ft & over)	Crawfords Maghera, County Londonderry
Independent Retailer of the Year (up to 1,000 sq ft)	Mo's Convenience Store (Premie Blantyre, Glasgow
Convenience Retailer of the Year (Multiple)	Spar Brackenvale (Henderson Re Carryduff, County Antrim
Convenience Retailer of the Year (Regional Chain)	North East Convenience Stores
Most Sustainable Retailer of the Year (individual store)	James Graven (Spar) Littleport, Cambridgeshire
Most Improved Store	McGirr's Spar Omagh, County Tyrone
Independent Newsagent of the Year	Palatine News Northenden, Manchester
Fresh Produce Retailer of the Year (Independent)	Crawfords Maghera, County Londonderry

Seamus Smith, Managing Director of PayPoint UK & Ireland, said:

"It was a real pleasure to see so many of our retail partners shortlisted for these awards and then walking away with the top awards. Every single one of them has earned the admiration and congratulations of everyone at PayPoint – they are the best at what they do and they do it with enormous commitment, hard work and a real understanding of what their customers want.

"We are proud to be associated with these retailers and hope that the products and services that PayPoint provides them with continue to play their part in ensuring their enduring success at the heart of their communities."

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