

If you are going to get caught short, do it here

IF you find yourself caught short when out and about, then Edmonton Shopping Centre is the place to be after its toilets won a top certificate in the 2007 Loo of the Year awards.

The toilets, built by developer St Modwen, were awarded a prestigious five-star certificate in the competition, following an unannounced trip to the loo by a judge.

The toilets were praised for their accessibility, cleanliness and security, as well as their overall decor, fixtures and fittings.

The toilets, which cost over £200,000 to build, are included in part of the first phase of the £100m regeneration plan of shopping centre.

The second and third phases include an ASDA superstore and retail units, to be opened next summer.

Regional operations manager of St Modwen, Colin Chatt, said: "This award confirms that we have some of the best public toilets in the country and that they are fit to serve the increasing number of visitors to the centre's shops, restaurants and leisure outlets."