

Expansion of Senior Management Team at BHTC

Josef Schriek strengthens team as Managing Director

Since the beginning of the year, Josef Schriek has been Managing Director Production and Quality for the BHTC Group in Lippstadt. BHTC specializes in the design and manufacture of control panels and units for vehicle climate control systems, and is one of the leaders in this market segment. Attracting Josef Schriek was “a step that had become absolutely necessary as a result of our increasing global presence,” say the two Managing Directors Norbert Gruber and Friedrich Waldeyer. Josef Schriek has a degree in electrical engineering/telecommunications and more than 20 years of experience in automotive electronics.

He began his professional career at Hella KGaA Hueck & Co as a development engineer in the carbody electronics department. He was subsequently given other areas of responsibility and held a variety of positions in the company. Being responsible for the development of electronic devices and systems, Schriek had a major involvement in organizing the setup and expansion of the national and international operations of Hella Carbody Electronics in the regions of Europe, NAFTA and Asia-Pacific.

In 2001, with the foundation of "Intedis", a Hella/Leoni joint venture company in Würzburg, he was appointed Managing Director and given the responsibility for getting the company up and running. Intedis (Integrated Electronic Distribution Systems) develops and markets integrated electrical and electronic systems, made up of wiring systems, power and signal distribution, carbody electronics, plus integrated flexible flat cables for the international automotive industry.

Since January 2007, Josef Schriek has brought new strength to the BHTC Group in Lippstadt as Managing Director for production and quality worldwide. “It is an exciting challenge for me to put the experience, which I have gained in the areas of company development and technical integration, to use in such a dynamic company,” says Schriek, explaining his decision to join BHTC. “My particular focus is on guaranteeing the highest quality standards in our plants worldwide – because that is the basis for our satisfied customers.” With his technical qualifications and his many years of experience in the international automobile market, Josef Schriek makes a significant contribution to further consolidating BHTC’s global presence and to expand the strong position it occupies on the global market.

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