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EMCO Lands 18 Million Euros-Order From Asia

The mechanical engineering company from Salzburg successfully asserts its turning and drilling competence

HALLEIN, HO CHI MINH CITY – EMCO, the mechanical engineering company from Salzburg, was highly successful in competing for an impressive large-scale order: as the world market leader for CNC training systems, EMCO was able to prevail against numerous renowned competitors from Europe, the United States and Japan and finalized a contract with the Vietnamese government to deliver a total of 84 fully automatic CNC turning and milling machines. The contract includes CAD/CAM training stations, as well as the corresponding technical support from qualified training staff. The machines will be used to equip the technical universities in Hanoi, Da Nang and Ho Chi Minh City (formerly known as Saigon).

Pleased with the latest developments, Mr. Gerhard Glanz, EMCO's managing director stated: "The project volume amounts to 18 million euro and gives us outstanding business perspectives for the forthcoming fiscal year."

Although the end of the year is just around the corner, EMCO together with AEP Education Projects GmbH – another subsidiary of the listed A-Tec Industries – is about to implement additional international projects. As Mr. Glanz and AEP's managing director Robert Neubauer optimistically express: „We still are expecting to receive some new orders this year."

The extremely positive development that EMCO has been taking during the past years will clearly continue in the upcoming year: according to information coming directly from management, the order books from day-to-day business are filled considerably, virtually guaranteeing 2008 to be another year full of highlights for EMCO.

Printable Pictures are available upon request. Please contact Mag. (FH) Anna Niederhofer at +43 (1) 717 86-118 or anna.niederhofer@pleon-publico.at.

About EMCO

EMCO, Salzburg's finest mechanical engineering company, is one of Europe's leading producers of machine tools. Innovative products, high quality of workmanship and appealing design are significant factors that have contributed to the unequivocal success of the company, which operates in the field of intelligent CNC technologies and training systems. EMCO is part of the A-TEC Industries AG Group and currently employs approx. 950 people at its six production plants in Austria, Germany, Italy and the Czech Republic.

About A-TEC Industries

A-TEC INDUSTRIES AG is an international industrial group listed on the Vienna stock exchange. Its registered office is in Vienna, and it operates successfully within the areas of drive technology, plant construction, metal and mechanical engineering. The group currently employs approx. 13,500 people in Austria, Germany, Switzerland, France, Spain, Italy, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Poland, Australia, India, Singapore and China as well as in the USA. Together the four companies of A-TEC Industries generate a total revenue of round about EUR 1.6 billion.

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