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Minority shareholding: Machine builder KHS and Ferrum intensify cooperation in the segment of beverage canning

KHS GmbH has taken a 10% stake in Ferrum Packaging Ltd as a minority shareholder. "This is a purely financial investment which has no effect on the corporate structures. Both companies will remain independent," explains Dr. Beat Buehlmann, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Ferrum Packaging Ltd.

Ferrum Packaging Inc, the US subsidiary of Ferrum Packaging Ltd, recently took over the can seaming business built up by KHS Inc, including their workforce.

Successful cooperation with common investment solutions

With the minority shareholding, the two machine manufacturers have now reached a further milestone in their long-standing partnership. The declared aim is a close cooperation to drive forward the development of solutions in the segment of beverage canning. Ferrum and KHS are working hand in hand to offer their customers forward-looking systems that meet the increasing demands for efficiency, sustainability, and automation.

Both companies want to optimally bundle development competencies in favor of integrated solutions with clear advantages for the overall process, as Dr. Beat Buehlmann, explains: "This allows us to design intelligent joint solutions for every customer need with clear advantages across the entire performance spectrum." In the case of the jointly developed products, cooperation in the area of service and after-sales also contributes to the common success, creating further added value for customers and synergy effects.

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