

STELVIO KONTEK TO STRENGTHEN ITS PRESENCE IN EUROPE

After the opening of a subsidiary in Hong Kong in 2010 the French subsidiary SOFIDIS sas becomes STELVIO KONTEK sas

Oggiono, June 27th 2013 – STELVIO KONTEK, a leader in connector solutions, strengthens its presence in Europe, since the French subsidiary SOFIDIS becomes STELVIO KONTEK from July 1st with the intent of covering the French speaking markets.

SOFIDIS, based near Paris, is recognised in France as a competent point of reference in two main areas: PCB connectors and switching human-to-machine interfaces.

During the past 25 years the company has acquired and developed a specific know-how combining its role of distributor and OEMs support proposing industrial products and service support.

With this change of name from SOFIDIS to STELVIO KONTEK the company's engineering team is even more in direct contact with the technical department in Oggiono being able to offer state of the art solutions to the French customers and prospects, relying on the strong industrial culture and the wide range of STELVIO KONTEK's products.

Vincent Parenti, President of STELVIO KONTEK France, says: "This change represents for us a new challenge in this historically difficult moment, the synergy between our knowledge of the French market and the strong vertical structure of STELVIO KONTEK production will allow us to offer proper solutions as well as a competitive commercial technical support to our customers."

Thanks to this strategic change, STELVIO KONTEK is carrying on its commercial growth plan started in 2010 with the opening of an office in Hong Kong.

STELVIO KONTEK - Profile

STELVIO KONTEK SpA is one of the leading groups in the electronic components and connector industry. With a solid background in the sector, the company can count on an innovative vertical production integration structure that guarantees performance. Highly skilled experts at the Oggiono headquarters and in the company's factories in Romania and Hungary work on transforming innovative projects and know-how into solid reality.

STELVIO KONTEK designs, engineers and manufactures customised solutions using cutting edge, quality technology and infrastructures constantly monitored under strictly controlled conditions. The whole range of STELVIO KONTEK products are the result of high level research and engineering, and have been approved

by all the main Italian and international authorities and bodies (IMQ, UL, VDE). They also conform to European regulations on eco-compatibility (RoHS, WEEE, PFOS, REACH).

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