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### The Dr. Schneider Unternehmensgruppe

The Dr. Schneider Unternehmensgruppe, headquartered in Kronach-Neuses in Upper Franconia, Germany, has established itself as a specialist for first-class products in vehicle interiors - from innovative ventilation systems and sophisticated decorative trim to highly integrated trim and add-on parts, intelligent storage systems and center consoles, as well as mechatronic and electronic components. As a flexible system coordinator and strategic business partner for its customers, Dr. Schneider is working today on intelligent solutions for the mobile world of tomorrow - around the globe. At eight production sites in Germany, China, Poland, Spain and the USA, as well as in several sales offices worldwide, more than 4,000 employees are working on smart technologies for a premium driving experience, making the car the best place in the world.

The full-service supplier's competencies range from the latest processes in fixture and tool construction to state-of-the-art injection molding technologies, sophisticated painting technology, forwardlooking assembly technologies and the manufacture of integrated electronic modules (EMS). Precisely planned just-in-time processes are just as much a part of the service portfolio as just-in-sequence orders. In addition to reliable high-volume production, Dr. Schneider also manufactures small batches for unusual interior concepts or one-off products. The company's large customer base includes renowned automobile manufacturers such as BMW, Daimler AG, Ferrari, Ford, Jaguar/Land Rover, Maserati, Renault, Toyota, Volvo and the VW Group.

With its own research and development department, the Dr. Schneider Unternehmensgruppe is one of the most important technology drivers in the supplier market. The prerequisite for this, in addition to decades of experience, is a high level of innovative strength in the complete product development process - from acquisition through development to the series product.

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This is also confirmed by awards such as the Daimler Supplier Innovation Award, the Yanfeng European Supplier Award, the VolvoCars Quality Excellence Award and the Volkswagen Group Award for Innovation & Technology, the Top 100 Innovator, which the automotive supplier has received in recent years. Also in 2019, the Volkswagen Group Award for "Value Innovation" and the FCA Supplier Award in the category "Innovation Supplier of the year" went to Dr. Schneider.

Innovative strength and aesthetics, outstanding quality and perfection, reliability and a sense of responsibility - the Dr. Schneider Unternehmensgruppe lives its claim "Focus on Excellence" in all areas. This is also reflected in the business figures: In 2020, Dr. Schneider recorded a total output of around 436 million euros. The internationally successful family-owned company, founded in 1927 by Franz Schneider Sr., is headed by Thomas Stadelmann (Chairman of the Board of Management), Malte Mornhart (Managing Director), Stefan Knoll (Managing Director) and Antonio Ramos (Managing Director).

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