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Muehlhan adds new Board Member

James West, Managing Director Muehlhan UK joined Board as of July 1

Hamburg, 17 July 2014 - Industrial service provider Muehlhan AG today announced that James West, Managing Director Muehlhan Surface Protection Ltd. in Aberdeen, UK, was appointed to the company's board of directors as of July 1. He will be responsible for the company's global oil & gas business.

As Muehlhan's Managing Director in the UK, James West runs the Group's on/offshore oil & gas activities in the North Sea. His mission as a Board Member will also include advancing the global oil & gas business – a strategic growth area that plays a key role within the company.

“James has an extraordinary track record in the oil & gas business, and offers important international experience. He will be a great addition to our board and I am looking forward to working with him,” said Stefan Müller-Arends, CEO Muehlhan.

About Muehlhan: Worldwide, the Muehlhan Group is a reliable partner in industrial services and high-quality surface protection. As one of the few full-service providers, we offer our customers a broad range of services designed to meet the exacting quality standards expected in professional industrial services. Our customers benefit from our exceptional organizational skills, on-time delivery, the technical expertise that differentiates us from our competitors and our more than 130 years of experience. Our operations are divided into five business segments: Ship Newbuilding, Ship Repair, Energy, Industry and Other Services. With our workforce of more than 2,300 employees at over 30 locations worldwide, we generated sales revenues of €208 million in 2013. We intend to use this stable foundation to further expand our business in the coming years and to continue moving our Group forward through proximity to our customers in the global market. For more information, visit www.muehlhan.com.

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