

microform backs an experienced duumvirate

microform celebrates its first 15 years and Andreas Klinke and Wolfgang Urban form the new dual management team

Waiblingen, July 1, 2009 – microform GmbH, based in Waiblingen, near Stuttgart, Germany, and a leading supplier of sophisticated capture solutions for the high-volume segment, is announcing a change in the company's management. Andreas Klinke and Wolfgang Urban are taking over as joint Managing Directors from Jürgen Fross, who had headed the company on an interim basis after microform's takeover by Janich & Klass in February this year. Roland Reinberger, co-founder of microform GmbH and majority shareholder, had previously left the company to enjoy his well-earned retirement.

[Andreas Klinke](#) (51) and [Wolfgang Urban](#) (44), two experienced and committed managers, are now taking control of the company, which this year is celebrating 15 years in business. Both have been with the company for many years in a number of roles, most recently as chief sales managers, Klinke primarily responsible for domestic German business and Urban focusing his attention on exports. They will continue to share these same responsibilities in their new role as joint managing directors.

"My own personal goal is to cultivate happy and long-term customer relationships", emphasizes Andreas Klinke. "The quality of our products, our experience and the multitude of different solutions we have successfully implemented distinguishes microform as a truly expert partner." Endorsing this statement, his colleague Wolfgang Urban says, "I aim to offer my clients solutions that always meet their needs. I want to win over their trust through open, direct, and target-oriented dialog."

microform GmbH was founded back in 1994 – initially with the aim of ensuring the production and sales of Agfa's successful and now legendary ADMIS CD 51 Rotary Camera for microfilms. Since then, the company has continued to develop and expand its product range, always with one eye on the growing needs of the market. At the heart of the current product portfolio are high-end document scanners designed for smooth processing of large volumes of documents, generating color and black-and-white images as desired. In February 2009, the owners of Janich & Klass GmbH acquired a majority stake in microform, but the company has continued to be run as an independent enterprise based in Waiblingen. Janich & Klass had already been a close business partner of microform for many years prior to the takeover, as demonstrated by the fact that all microform scanners are equipped with Janich & Klass image-processing technology. What's more, microform GmbH is also a sales partner marketing Janich & Klass' DpuScan scanning software.

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