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Philippe COSTE RAMIREZ, President of RODICUT INDUSTRY S.A., world leader in the manufacture of polyurethane parts for the corrugated cardboard industry (with a turnover of 8 million euro and 48 collaborators), is pleased to inform you of the acquisition of the company BRICQ S.A. (VOITH PAPER FABRICS S.A.) by the EOS Corrugated holding company.

BRICQ S.A is specialized in the production of Corrugator belts (with a turnover of 7 million euro and 52 collaborators) and is located in Montbron, France.

Philippe C. RAMIREZ, the new President of BRICQ S.A., reports that Mr Raymond GEISS, the current Operations Manager at BRICQ S.A., has been appointed as the General Manager of the company.

This purchase takes place at the same time as a commercial agreement between BRICQ S.A. and RODICUT INDUSTRY S.A. that will enable each company to extend its offer and create new synergies, allowing BRICQ S.A. to use the commercial office that RODICUT INDUSTRY S.A. possesses in Shanghai, China. It will also help to optimize the current network of distributors, agents and after sale service that each company boasts in more than 60 countries.

As for the company TOOLS CORRUGATED S.L., the leading Spanish manufacturer of rotary cuttingdies, and a spin-off of RODICUT INDUSTRY S.A. which is at 52% controlled by Philippe C. RAMIREZ and his family, it will be integrated within the new agreement as a commercially associated company, to further broaden the global vision and the knowledge that these three companies with great human capital wish to contribute to the corrugated cardboard industry.

BRICQ SA., RODICUT INDUTRY S.A. and TOOLS S.L. take this opportunity to thank all their clients for their trust, and commit themselves to concentrating their efforts so that the future quality / price / service relationship meets expectations.

Finally, Philippe C. RAMIREZ wishes to thank the German group VOITH, the former owner of BRICQ S.A., for the professionalism and fair play shown throughout the purchase process.

In conclusion: "BRICQ IS BACK".





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