



PRESS RELEASE

TS Manufacturing Acquires Automation & Electronics (NZ) Ltd.

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The existing A&E management teams in NZ and NC, USA will remain intact. TS is pleased to announce that Brian Smith and Windsor Technology NZ remain co-shareholders, ensuring stable and consistent leadership and direction for A&E, consistent with its proven 30+ year track record. The acquisition creates a deep team of over 16 PLC and software support staff, operating natively from 3 time zones. All companies remain committed to providing exceptional automation services.

Riley Smith, Sales Manager for TS Manufacturing commented “This acquisition is more like a combining of like-minded professionals all dedicated to the wood products industry. It is our intent for existing vendor and customer relationships to remain unchanged with the three companies. Existing customers will now receive enhanced worldwide support from a diverse range of time zones and offices. Each company will mutually benefit from the broad and varying experience of the other two, and customers will get the most expedient and capable solutions in the wood products industry.”

ABOUT TS MANUFACTURING

TS Manufacturing designs, builds and installs world class equipment for sawmill and lumber handling companies worldwide. Our equipment is made for log handling & merchandising, primary and secondary breakdown, trimming, sorting, stick placing, stacking and more. For more than 45+ years, our clients have been benefiting from the enhanced efficiency and reliability of using a single manufacturer for their production lines.

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