

## **Press release**

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### **Labour representatives on the KUKA supervisory board and Grenzebach announce close cooperation**

**Augsburg/Hamlar, Germany, 4 September 2009.** The labour representatives on the supervisory board of KUKA AG and Grenzebach Maschinenbau GmbH have welcomed the fresh start at KUKA announced yesterday.

Both sides look forward together and agree that the company should be quickly and lastingly returned to calmer waters.

“After the quarrels of the last months, it is important to return calm to KUKA – both for the employees and for the owners,” says Jürgen Kerner, deputy chairman of the supervisory board and 1<sup>st</sup> representative of IG Metall in Augsburg.

“We appreciate the cooperation with the labour representatives in the supervisory board and will work together for the benefit of KUKA. We will also cooperate closely in the reappointment of the management board positions,” said Dr. Till Reuter, consultant for Grenzebach and himself a member of the KUKA supervisory board.

There is also consensus for continuing the two division strategy. Both business areas, KUKA Robotics and KUKA Systems, should continue to build on their strengths. The automobile industry is an essential and indispensable market for both divisions, and further markets should be developed and expanded for both divisions in general industry.

Both sides will inform the employees about their common goals at a joint information event after the school holidays in Bavaria.

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