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MAHA becomes a European Company (SE)

Shaping the future – with clear structure and focus on internationalisation

MAHA Maschinenbau Haldenwang GmbH & Co. KG will operate under the name MAHA SE & Co. KG. Through its transformation into a European Company (Societas Europaea, or SE for short), MAHA is paving the way for an even more tightly networked international corporate structure and a modern, forward-looking approach. SE is now regarded as an established standard for internationally orientated medium-sized companies.

Haldenwang, 19th November 2025. On 7 September 2023, as part of a long-term and sustainable corporate strategy, the Foundation Board and the Management Board jointly resolved to amend the legal form of the company. The entry in the commercial register was made on 17 November 2025.

"Through this transformation into an SE, we are demonstrating our identity as a foundation company – for the long term, independently and responsibly – across all of Europe. It represents the logical step in our strategic European orientation and provides us with a standardised legal framework on the basis of which we can further strengthen our ability to act across national borders," explains Andreas Zängerle, Chairman of the Foundation Board of the Familienstiftung Familie Rauch.

"In our daily operations, this means that decisions can be made more quickly, coordination will take less time and processes will become more efficient. This simplifies co-operation with international institutions and key customers and creates a new basis for continued growth. At the same time, we will remain firmly rooted in Haldenwang – keeping to the values that have made MAHA so strong: reliability, practical orientation and close dialogue with our partners on all continents," adds Dr Peter Geigle, Managing Director of MAHA.

This change is purely a transformation of legal form. Everything remains the same for business partners: All contracts and contact partners stay the same; the structure and headquarters in Haldenwang continue unchanged, as do the company names of the subsidiaries.

By taking this step, MAHA is clearly defining its position for the future – as a globally operating manufacturer of vehicle testing and lifting technology, rooted in the Allgaeu region, but with eyes set on Europe and the rest of the world.

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MAHA Management Board and the Management along with representatives of the non-profit Familie Rauch-Stiftung (gFR) and the Familienstiftung Familie Rauch (FFR) in the MAHA showroom on the occasion of the company's renaming as an SE.

Left to right: Dr Peter Geigle (Managing Director), Stephan Waibel (COO), Jürgen Werner (CISO), Friedrich Hesemann (Managing Director), Günther Heim (Chairman of the FFR Foundation Board), Prof Bernhard Schick (Member of the FFR Foundation Board), Anton KI otz (Chairman of the gFR Foundation Board and former District Administrator), Michael Hauke (Member of the gFR Foundation Board), Prof Dr Wolfgang Hauke (member of the Foundation Board gFR), Dr. Sebastianv. Thunen (Lawyer), Jürgen Schmidt (Auditor), Stefan Krammer (member of the Foundation Board FFR), Andreas Zängerle (Chairman of the Foundation Board FFR), Karl Büringer (Notary), Tobias Ott (CFO), Dr Andreas Mayer (Chairman of the Foundation Board gFR).

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MAHA - an overview:

MAHA SE & Co. KG is one of the world's leading manufacturers of workshop and vehicle inspection equipment. As a company with an international outlook, MAHA operates two production sites in Germany and the USA and a global sales and service network in over 150 countries. The company employs a total of more than 1,000 staff worldwide and generates sales of approximately 150 million EUR.

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