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Kyocera Display Europe GmbH becomes Kyocera Automotive and Industrial Solutions GmbH

The Japanese technology group is expanding the Display Division and supplying its systems and innovative solutions under a new name from 1st April 2019.

Kyoto/London, April 24th, 2019. On April 1st, 2019, the Display Department of Kyocera, one of the leading manufacturers in the electronic components sector, was renamed Kyocera Automotive and Industrial Solutions GmbH. With this change, the company is also acknowledging its own development from a traditional display manufacturer into a system provider and specialist in the field of man-machine interfaces. Alongside the popular range of products such as touch sensors and haptivity, the new name will include innovations from the whole of the Kyocera Ceramic World as well, so that new solutions for further automotive applications and industrial use can be developed.

"Today, a display is more than just a monitor which shows data in a high-resolution format. In fact, it is an interactive interface which must fulfill the most varied of requirements," explains former President of Kyocera Display, Manfred Sauer, who will also manage the new company. "With our products and innovations in this sector we have actively helped to shape the changes, and today we provide comprehensive solutions for applications in the automotive and the industrial sector. Now, our name also reflects this expanded field."



For more information on Kyocera: www.kyocera.co.uk

About Kyocera

Headquartered in Kyoto, Japan, Kyocera Corporation is one of the world's leading manufacturers of fine ceramic components for the technology industry. The strategically important divisions in the Kyocera Group, which is comprised of 264 subsidiaries (as of March 31, 2018), are information and communications technologies, products which increase quality of life, and environmentally friendly products. The technology group is also one of the oldest producers of solar energy systems worldwide, with more than 40 years of experience in the industry.

The company is ranked #522 on Forbes magazine's 2017 "Global 2000" listing of the world's largest publicly traded companies. With a global workforce of over 75,000 employees, Kyocera posted net sales of approximately €12.04 billion in fiscal year 2017/2018. The products marketed by the company in Europe include printers, digital copying systems, microelectronic components, and fine ceramic products. The Kyocera Group has two independent companies in the United Kingdom: Kyocera Fineceramics Ltd. and Kyocera Document Solutions.

The company also takes an active interest in cultural affairs. The Kyoto Prize, a prominent international award, is presented each year by the Inamori Foundation — established by Kyocera founder Dr. Kazuo Inamori — to individuals and groups worldwide who have contributed significantly to the scientific, cultural, and spiritual betterment of humankind (converted at approximately €764,000 per prize category).

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