

Press Communication

Jaguar Land Rover - Slovak suppliers' day 27-28 January 2016 at Heritage Motor Centre in Gaydon

Jaguar Land Rover has confirmed that it will be the first British carmaker to open a manufacturing facility in Slovakia. The announcement follows an agreement between the company and the Government of the Slovak Republic to build a new plant in the city of Nitra, western Slovakia.

Due to current businesses supplied to Jaguar Landrover and to the proximity to the Tristone Slovakian Facility in Nová Baňa, Tristone Flowtech Group was invited to attend to the Slovak suppliers' day on 27th and 28th of January 2016 and present the last innovative products and innovations, having taken the opportunity to share with the Jaguar Landrover Teams the know-how in Battery Electric Vehicles and Hybrid Passenger Cars, related to electrified powered vehicles.

This event gave also the opportunity to the Tristone Flowtech Group to promote the local manufacturing capabilities out of Tristone-Slovakia, as well as to present the current global footprint and future expansion plans, full in line with the internationalization plans driven by Jaguar Landrover and most of the global EOMs Tristone works together with, said Ignacio Salazar, VP Sales and Marketing.



<u>Frankfurt/ Germany</u>: TRISTONE Flowtech Group has reached 2015 an annual turnover of 228 M€ with 2.500 employees and is one of the leading automotive supplier groups worldwide for fluid applications in the area of engine cooling, battery cooling as well as turbochargers with manufacturing and development locations in Germany, Poland, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Turkey, Spain, France, Italy, Mexico and China.

The Group was established based on a spin-off of the former Fluid Automotive Business Unit of Trelleborg AB in July 2010 and is supplying to the automotive customers Renault, Nissan, PSA, FiatChrysler, Ford, Volvo, General Motors, VW Group, Suzuki, BMW, Daimler, JLR, Bosch as well as further Tier One suppliers.

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