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profine will start Extrusion Activities in India

In line with its global expansion plans which include a focus on high growth countries, profine will open its extrusion plant by the end of 2012 under its Indian subsidiary, profine India Window Technology Private Limited.

The international market leader for uPVC profiles for windows and doors has been active for more than 5 years in the Indian market under the brand name Kömmerling and is considered No 1 of profile importers.

Albrecht P. Lange, CSO, profine GmbH comments "we treat India as a growth market which we develop continuously together with our customers. Following the establishment of our own subsidiary in 2010, local extrusion is the next step in this journey".

The detailed planning for the plant set-up is in progress. Customized systems for this particular market, such as an outward opening and a special sliding system, will be produced there. Similar systems are already being supplied in the Indian market by profine under the Kömmerling brand name.

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About profine:

profine GmbH - International Profile Group - is the world-wide leading manufacturer of plastic profiles for windows and doors as well as a notable supplier of shutter solutions and PVC sheets. The company was established in 2003, when HT TROPLAST consolidated its profile business activities (KBE, KÖMMERLING, TROCAL) under one roof.

profine has a total of 3,200 employees at 28 locations in 21 countries. Around 1,800 of these employees work in Germany.

The production sites are located in Germany, France, Italy, Spain, Russia, Ukraine, the United States and China. The company headquarters is in Troisdorf (North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany).

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