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ITW EAE Extends Agreement with Metronelec to Represent Vitronics Soltec Products in France

Lakeville, Minnesota, March 19, 2020 - ITW EAE announces a new extended partnership agreement with Metronelec and W-Tech France to represent and distribute Vitronics Soltec soldering equipment beginning April 1, 2020. This agreement is an expansion of Metronelec's representation of ITW EAE's product line which already included MPM printers, Camalot dispensers, and Electrovert soldering and cleaning equipment.

"Metronelec has provided superior representation for MPM, Camalot and Electrovert in France," said Wim Schouten, Sales Manager for ITW EAE. "We are very fortunate have this first-class, technically experienced team represent the full range of ITW EAE electronics assembly equipment. Metronelec's sales team is one of the best in the business and can be counted on to serve all of our customers well."

"We're very pleased to add Vitronics Soltec to our offering," said Emmanuel Anglade, President of Metronelec. "Vitronics Soltec is a pioneer in soldering technology with a reputation for cutting edge technology combined with quality manufacturing and service support. We look forward to adding this product line to our line of high-quality products."

Metronelec has specialized in the manufacture and distribution of equipment and consumables for the electronics industry since 1975. In 2019 they expanded their team with the acquisition of W-Tech. Metronelec and W-Tech will be responsible for sales, service and spare parts for MPM printers, Camalot dispensers, Vitronics Soltec wave, reflow and selective equipment, plus Electrovert soldering solutions and cleaners, serviced from Metronelec office in Paris and W-Tech in the south of France.

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