



## Press Release

### Dual leadership in place at ebm-papst St. Georgen Johannes Pfeffer to become management spokesman

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On January 1, 2018, Johannes Pfeffer (50) will take up the position of management spokesperson at ebm-papst St. Georgen GmbH & Co. KG, a subsidiary of the ebm-papst Group. Pfeffer will complete the fan and motor specialist's planned dual leadership alongside Raymond Engelbrecht, who has been in the post since February 2017.

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Stefan Brandl, Chairman of the Group Board of Directors, comments: "We are pleased that with Johannes Pfeffer we have been able to secure an internationally experienced manager who will successfully develop ebm-papst's St. Georgen location".

Johannes Pfeffer comes from the US automation specialist Belden, where he has been manager of the Automation & Control division since 2009. Previously, Pfeffer, who studied physics at the University of Tübingen and management at the Steinbeis Graduate School of Business Management in Stuttgart, held a variety of management positions at automotive supplier Behr.

As management spokesperson, Johannes Pfeffer will take over areas such as drive engineering and automobiles, plus functional responsibility for sales, business sector development, production and development.

Pfeffer lives in Tübingen, is married and has five children.

#### Johannes Pfeffer's Curriculum Vitae

Johannes Pfeffer studied physics at the Eberhard Karls University in Tübingen. He began his professional career in 1994 with the IT and measurement specialist Hewlett Packard. From 1999 to 2009, the physicist with an MBA degree from the Steinbeis Graduate School of Business Management in Stuttgart worked in a variety of executive positions at automotive supplier Behr.

Since 2009, Johannes Pfeffer has been manager responsible for the Automation & Control division of US automation specialist Belden.

Pfeffer is married with five children and lives in Tübingen.

#### **Captions (Images ebm-papst)**

**Fig. 1:** On January 1, 2018, Johannes Pfeffer (50) will take up the post of management spokesperson at ebm-papst St. Georgen GmbH & Co. KG.



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The ebm-papst Group is the world's leading manufacturer of fans and motors. Since it was founded, the technology company has continuously set global industry standards: from the digital interconnection of electronically controlled EC fans to aerodynamic improvements for fan blades to the use of eco-friendly materials. In fiscal year 2016/17, the company achieved sales of almost €1.9 billion. ebm-papst employs over 14,000 people at 26 production sites (e.g. in Germany, China and the US) and in 49 sales offices worldwide. Fans and motors from the world market leader are used in many industries, including ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration, household appliances, heating, automotive and drive engineering.

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