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New offset printing press for Denmark

Faller enhances the Nordic branch by investing in the latest technology

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Waldkirch / Hvidovre, April 2018. The August Faller Group's market share in the Nordic countries is growing continuously. By investing in a new offset printing press at the Hvidovre plant in Denmark, Faller aims to further enhance its market position for secondary packaging for the pharmaceutical and healthcare industry in Northern Europe.

"With the investment in our Hvidovre site in Denmark, we are accounting for positive developments in terms of market success and operational performance and are laying the foundations for further growth. The new press enables us to increase the delivery performance for our customers even more," explains Dr Daniel Keesman, Managing Partner of the August Faller Group. In purchasing the new KBA Rapida 76 press, the first model of its kind to be sold in the world, Faller is following the trend towards automated offset presses and increasingly more coloured medication packaging.

The new press by König & Bauer can produce up to eight colours in one go and can also equip the print with a UV protective coating. Customers benefit from faster service, thanks to the acquisition of the KBA Rapida 76. As well, the press is able to manage slightly larger carton sizes, which also reduces production time. Commissioning of the machine has been planned for May 2018, while regular production is to start on the June 1, 2018.

The Nordic Faller branch supplies the Nordic countries and the northern part of Europe with secondary packaging for the pharmaceutical industry and healthcare sector. All of the Group's products are manufactured, from standard folding cartons and special constructions to high-end-finish folding cartons with, for example, UV coating and hot or metal foil. "The



August Faller Group is constantly expanding its market shares in the Nordic countries. Introducing the new offset press is a further step towards being able to grow even faster in these countries," says Christian Holmskov, Managing Director of August Faller A/S in Hvidovre, Denmark.

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The August Faller Group is enhancing its Nordic branch in Hvidovre, Denmark with investments in the new offset printing press, the KB Rapida 76.

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Christian Holmskov, Managing Director of August Faller A/S in Hvidovre, Denmark.

About August Faller Group:

The August Faller Group is one of the leading manufacturers and solution provider of secondary pharmaceutical packaging such as folding cartons, leaflets, labels and combination products. For already 25 years, August Faller has continuously expanded its expertise in the pharmaceutical market. On this basis, innovation and development are consistently focused on customer-specific solutions and patient-friendly products.

The company is one of the first manufacturers to provide product development tailored to the individual customer as a separate service. In terms of pharmaceutical and health care packaging, Faller offers solutions such as serialisation, supply chain management and packaging services.

The services of the subsidiary August Faller Artwork Solutions GmbH are available to customers for artwork management, printing consulting and coordination.

The company group operates in an economical and ecologically sustainable manner and August Faller GmbH & Co.KG has been FSC®- certified since 2011. August Faller GmbH & Co.KG was founded in 1882. At its headquarters in Waldkirch, Germany, and at its other German sites in Binzen, Großbeeren and Schopfheim, as well as in Hvidovre, Denmark, and Łódź, Poland, the company currently has around 1,150 employees.

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