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Nedcam accelerates through acquisition of Modellbau Nachtigall from Germany

Nedcam Solutions is expanding into Germany. From the first of April, the Heerenveen-based company will take over Modellbau Nachtigall from Rhede. With this acquisition ambitions can be realised and the international market for 3D modelling can be served even better.

Years of intensive cooperation

From the first of April, Modellbau Nachtigall will become Nedcam GmbH. "An obvious step after years of intensive cooperation," says managing director Jan Volker. Nedcam Solutions produces plugs and moulds for the composites industry with main markets being yacht building, the wind sector and automotive. Modellbau Nachtigall serves the same markets. "Germany has been an additional production capacity for Nedcam for many years. Nachtigall has the same high quality standard as Nedcam and has similar production methods. The takeover is a clear step and feels familiar".

Expanding capabilities and capacity

For the customers of Nedcam and Nachtigall, nothing will change, except that customer needs can be met even better. There are more opportunities to efficiently deploy milling capacity in both Heerenveen and Germany and more knowledge and experience will be obtained. The location in Germany will carry the name Nedcam Rhede. This underlines the fact that in addition to the core activity of milling and 3D printing large dimensions, other services will also be offered. Nedcam is the specialist in pasta systems, plugs, direct moulds, production moulds, CAD/CAM engineering, facade systems and total solutions.

Realising ambitions

Nedcam Solutions started eight years ago after a merger of the Frisian Solicam and the Gelderland-based Nedcam. With the two-man management team consisting of Jan Volker, managing director, and Erwin van Maaren, commercial director, the company experienced a dynamic growth, with an important focus on the transition from a linear to a circular production process. With this ambition Nedcam has earned has a final place in the election for Frisian Company of the Year. Erwin van Maaren: "We are very proud of what we have achieved, with the arrival of Nedcam GmbH we can fulfil our innovative ambitions and build a solid company in a the European and International market."

Continuing with ambition

Former owner of Modelbau Nachtigall, Karl Nachtigall, will remain closely involved and will slowly phase out his activities. "Despite wanting to take a step back, I felt it was very important to continue the beautiful company we have built in recent years with ambition. Nedcam is a familiar face here, for both our customers and employees. I know that Modelbau Nachtigall is in good hands with Nedcam and I look forward to the new future."