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ATHENA GRAPHICS AND GLUNZ & JENSEN ENTER PARTNERSHIP

Belgium-based Athena Graphics NV and Glunz & Jensen A/S have entered into a partnership covering development and delivery of fully automated processing systems for flexographic printing plates used in Athena's prepress operation.

The cooperation will include In-line integration of the newly introduced fully automatic Glunz & Jensen FlexPro™ processor into the Glunz & Jensen FlexLine™ system, as well as process data integration into Athena's workflow. At the final stage of the project, Athena will have a fully integrated platemaking workflow, from plate imaging to plate cutting. With the integrated FlexLine system, Athena stand to benefit from higher productivity, reduced waste and more consistent plate quality.



Dries Maerten, Operations Manager Athena Graphics says:

"The automation concept presented to us by Glunz & Jensen is very convincing. We consider Glunz & Jensen as being very innovative and professional. We believe that this project will add further value to our operation and to our customers."

Joachim Spies, Product Manager Glunz & Jensen says:

"Athena Graphics and Glunz & Jensen share a mutual vision for full stack-to-stack workflows in flexo prepress. We look very much forward to transforming this vision into real life, together with Athena Graphics."

About Athena Graphics

Athena Graphics is one of the most leading and dynamic prepress companies in Europa, with over 100 employees and establishments in 3 countries: Belgium, France and The Netherlands. We deliver high-quality prepress, printing forms and online services to the entire packaging chain in order to reduce the time-to-market. We achieve this by investigating in people and technology, leading every day to innovation, optimization and automation in the packaging supply chain.

About Glunz & Jensen

Glunz & Jensen is the world's leading and most trusted provider of equipment and solutions for the global prepress industry. We offer innovative solutions and dedicated support services to optimise your prepress workflow, maximise productivity and deliver outstanding quality and results.



Glunz & Jensen has been a recognized leader in prepress for more than 40 years. Our state-of-the-art solutions have set the benchmark for excellence. By focusing on the areas that are most important to your needs – simplicity, performance, reliability and the lowest cost of ownership – our products and systems have become the preferred choice for companies operating a successful packaging and print media business. Today, thousands of organisations worldwide rely on Glunz & Jensen equipment.

We have long-standing relations with major customers such as Agfa, Asahi, DuPont, Flint, Fujifilm, Heidelberg, Kodak and MacDermid, the world's largest suppliers to the printing industry. Our products are sold through a comprehensive and worldwide network of distributors and dealers.

The Glunz & Jensen Group has approx. 230 employees in our subsidiaries and production facilities in Denmark, Slovakia, USA, Italy and UK. Glunz & Jensen A/S is listed on Nasdaq OMX Copenhagen A/S.

