The Environmental Pact Grows

Three new member companies from the district

NÜRNBERGER LAND DISTRICT – CITO System GmbH in Schwaig and two other companies from the Nürnberger Land District, TCT-Speditions GmbH and Nutzlast Die LKW-Vermieter AG from Altdorf, have recently joined the Bavarian Environmental Pact (Umweltpakt Bayern).

District Head of Administration, Armin Kroder, presented the certificates on behalf of the Bavarian Ministry of the Environment to the three new members. Receiving the documents were: Jürgen Marien, Managing Director and Uwe Melchior (CITO System GmbH) and Hana and Dieter Wolf, management consultants on behalf of Dieter Holfelder (Managing Director of the companies TCT and Nutzlast), who are supporting the Holfelder Group in the implementation of qualification measures for environmental issues. Mr Kroder commended the new members: "Through their companies, they voluntarily provide an expert contribution towards environmental protection that extends beyond their legal obligations." He agreed that any contribution towards protecting the environment is beneficial and meaningful - not just with regard to future generations, but it also provides opportunities to save costs and open up new markets.

The Holfelder Group has initiated a comprehensive environmental management system for vehicles, buildings, water treatment and energy saving and by joining the Bavarian Environmental Pact, Mr Kroder stated, the Group has completed the first stage in achieving DIN EN ISO 14001 certification.

As world market-leading supplier to the printing and packaging industry, CITO System GmbH has held this and other certification for approximately twenty years and pursues a holistic approach involving environmental and quality management as well as occupational safety. According to Managing Director Jürgen Marien, joining the Bavarian Environmental Pact is an additional element in this concept which he and his staff are actively pursuing and putting into practice.

The Pact was formed in 1995 as an agreement between the Bavarian government and Bavarian industry and is founded on the principles of voluntary participation, personal responsibility and cooperation. In the Environmental Pact, the Bavarian government and the Bavarian business community declare their absolute conviction that our natural living conditions can be better protected with the aid of voluntary and reliable cooperation between the state authorities and industry rather than through legislation and regulations alone.



Receiving their certificate from Armin Kroder, District Head of Administration, are (from left to right) Dieter und Hana Wolf (IMS Consulting, Nuremberg), Managing Director Jürgen Marien and Uwe Melchior (CITO-System GmbH, Schwaig).

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