

Name change for King Technology

ST. LOUIS - King Technology Inc., the manufacturer of King Safety Sealed Connectors, has changed its name to King Safety Products. The change is in response to the company's new mission of focusing on the research, development and manufacture of innovative safety products.

The change to King comes in conjunction with the development of a new custom sealant that provides greater effectiveness for the complete line of King Safety Sealed Connectors, which have been tested to prevent flash-over in excess of 20,000 volts and come with a lifetime warranty against failures caused by corrosion.

Seven King Safety Sealed Connectors cover a full range of wire combinations recognized by U.L. and C.S.A. Applications include corrosion-proof areas, hazardous locations requiring explosionproof equipment and direct bury and pressure-type applications.

For more information, contact King Safety Products by phone at 314-423-5300, or by fax at 314-423-2822.

Bingler to lead Water Tech Group

SENECA FALLS, N.Y. -Douglas Bingler has accepted the position of president, Water Technologies Group at Goulds Pumps, Inc. In his new position, Bingler will be responsible for the sales and operations of the Water Systems Division.

Prior to joining Goulds, Bingler was vice president and GM of Keystone Railway Equipment Co. in Camp Hill, Pa. He also held positions with Milton Roy Co. in the Liquid Metronics and Hartell divisions.

In other Goulds news, William Murff has joined the Water Technologies group as president, Latin America. Murff will direct all business activities in Mexico, the Caribbean, Central and South America. Most recently, Murff served as vice president, Corporate Business Development for Empresas Lanzagorta, S.A. de C.V.

Contech secures distributor in Canada: Burcan

MIDDLETOWN, Ohio -Burcan Industries Ltd. of Whitby, Ontario, Canada, has been appointed the Canadian distributor for the Green Industry product line of Contech Construction Products Inc., headquartered here.

In 1972, Burcan Industries introduced prefabricated drainage systems to North America and carried out the first wickdrain installation in North America during 1973-1974.

The company has since manufactured and marketed worldwide the Alidrain Soil Stabilization System and in 1983 introduced the Hitek Prefabricated Drainage System in North America.

For more information, contact Burcan at 905-668-3131. Contech can be reached in the U.S. at 800-338-1122

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cause it is and will continue to be an important business for us,' said Denhart.

In addition to increased manpower, DowElanco will continue to commit resources to T&O field technical services and corporatebased R&D.

"We believe tech services and R&D are critical components to our long-term participation in this marketplace. They greatly enhance our relationship with customers, university cooperators and other influentials," Denhart added.

For more information, contact Denhart at 317-337-4327.

DowElanco and Micro Flo Co. have announced a settlement of their dispute related to

chlorpyrifos insecticides. In 1993, DowElanco petitioned the EPA to cancel certain Micro Flo pesticide regulations, and sued Micro Flo for damages in federal court. DowElanco alleged that Micro Flo violated FIFRA (Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act) by failing to offer to compensate DowElanco for Micro Flo's reliance on DowElanco's productregistration data; and also violated federal and state laws by misrepresenting its products as containing DowElanco's Dursban insecticide.

Micro Flo subsequently initiated a FIFRA data-compensation arbitration to determine its obligations to DowElanco, Micro Flo has not admitted to DowElanco's allegations, but, in resolution of all of DowElanco's claims, Micro Flo has agreed to pay DowElanco a substantial but undisclosed amount of money and not to commit such acts in the future.







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