

### **Gertex Textil GmbH uses itelligence AG's SAP industry solution**

Bielefeld, July 19, 2005 - Gertex Textil GmbH, based in Gerstetten, a company owned by the Dr. Zwissler Holding Group, has selected itelligence AG to be its SAP system house. The traditional company, which employs 105 staff, has been successfully trading for around 130 years and generated sales of approximately EUR 34 million in 2004. Gertex Textil GmbH produces refined surface textiles for the automobile and textile/clothing and shoe industries.

itelligence, the full service IT provider in the SAP environment, will introduce its SAP solution tailored to suit the needs of the automobile supply industry, it.automotive supplier, at the mid-market textile manufacturer and automobile supplier as a company-wide ERP system. By January 1, 2006, 15 group companies, including three Gertex Textil GmbH production locations, will be using the it.automotive supplier as their SAP system. The Group also plans to link further plants in other industries to the central SAP system in the coming years. With the introduction of the integrated SAP platform, the Dr. Zwissler Holding Group is aiming to harmonize its data flows and company processes into one homogenous and integrated IT infrastructure.

A particular highlight of this SAP introduction is the fact that it combines the high quality of textile production and the reliability and speed of delivery required in the automobile industry in one SAP system. In the batch retracing process, it must be possible to retrace the supply chain for textiles so as to even be able to provide detailed information on raw materials, including the composition of fibers and dyestuffs in each batch. Only such a stringent batch retracing process will guarantee that all information will be rapidly available to each supplier in the supply chain in the event of inquiries.

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Jürgen Deissenrieder, Commercial Manager of the Dr. Zwissler Holding Group, explains his expectations as follows: "We will be utilizing it.automotive supplier on a company-wide basis in order to be able to plan and control our manufacturing processes across the whole of the company even more efficiently. In the full service IT provider itelligence, we have acquired an expert partner in the SAP environment that can provide us with industry-wide support in the area of our two core competencies, namely in the textile and automobile industries. This represents a real plus for us in our SAP project."

**About itelligence AG:**

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