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MK Products Announces New President

Irvine, CA - MK Products, welding equipment design and manufacturer, announces Chris Westlake as its new president. He will be the third generation to assume leadership of the family owned and operated business that was founded in 1966 by Mike Kensrue.

"Chris has been a key factor in MK's success," said newly appointed CEO Doug Kensrue. "His strong track record in operational efficiency combined with his knowledge and experience of the manufacturing process will be the driving force that continues our company's success."

Chris Westlake joined MK Products in 1994 as Director of Engineering before eventually assuming the role of Vice President of Operations. He held the post for ten years before assuming presidency in June 2010.

He succeeds Doug Kensrue, who after more than a decade as president of MK Products will now be serving as CEO.

Established in 1966, MK Products is the original inventor of Cobramatic push-pull wire feed technology and is recognized worldwide as the leader of aluminum welding systems.

MK Products also manufactures orbital tube welding systems for everyday and exotic alloys and Aircrafter™ table-top rotary positioners. ###

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