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PRESS RELEASE

ROSS CONTROLS® Announces Parts & Services Agreement with Verallia

TROY, MI – May 2019 - ROSS CONTROLS® is pleased to announce that manufactIS GmbH (mIS), a wholly owned subsidiary of ROSS®, has entered into a multi-year licensing and cooperation agreement with Verallia. Effective May 5, 2019, mIS is the exclusive worldwide licensee of intellectual property for all mechanical spare parts, mechanisms and assemblies for all GPS brand machines, and Verallia preferred supplier of spare parts and repair support services for all GPS brand machines operated by Verallia. In addition, mIS can also provide spare parts, mechanisms and assemblies, as well as repair support services for GPS machines that are operated by other companies producing hollow glass containers. The agreement between the mIS and Verallia capitalizes on mIS' long-standing and thorough understanding of GPS technology. As part of the agreement, mIS will be relocating to the former GPS facility in Essen, Germany.

ROSS has a long history of supporting the glass container industry. With proven poppet technology, ROSS/FLEX® design capability, and quality services provided by the mIS service team, ROSS is a true single source partner to the glass industry around the world. The range of services offered covers competent support in the rationalization and modernization of machinery, assembly and system integration of the widely successful ROSS 21-Valve Block, economical solutions to customer-specific logistics challenges, conversion of conventional pneumatics to state-of-the-art "plug-and-play" proportional technology, and much more.

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ROSS CONTROLS®

Established in 1921, ROSS CONTROLS® is headquartered in Troy, Michigan and is ISO certified. ROSS® designs and manufactures pneumatic valves, control systems, and is universally recognized as a global leader in fluid power safety solutions and poppet valve technology. ROSS® provides standard products and customized ROSS/FLEX® solutions for machinery and automation. Selling to original equipment manufacturers and end-users throughout the world, ROSS® reaches its global customer base through the global sales team located in the United States, Germany, France, England, Japan, China, Brazil, India, and Canada. In addition to its global sales team, ROSS® markets its products through a worldwide network of more than 100 distributors.

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