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Statement on corona virus issue - status week 12/2020

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

The further spread of the corona virus causes increased supply shortages, fort he industry as well as all other areas of public life. Kaschke Components GmbH feels obliged to the health and well-being of ist employees and all other interested parties and hence is consequently implementing all measures and requirements which has been determined by the German government.

Therefore we would like you to please have the understanding in this exceptional situation that we will have a restricted reactivity caused by these measures and that there might be delays at all levels in the processing of the operative business.

The detailed impacts of this pandemic on our supply chain remains difficult to evaluate. Concerning this there is a worldwide and constantly changing level of information and knowledge.

We are in close exchange with our Chinese suppliers and we feel a slight deescalation in regards to the supply situation. Many suppliers have already resumed their production and are keen to catch up with the backlogs caused by the production downtime which were lasting several weeks.

Sea freights are already on the way towards Europe. Air freights do still have serious capacity bottlenecks.

On March 17 it has been announced that Malaysia has imposed a shutdown from March 18 to 30. Kaschke Components GmbH is currently checking which possible effects will be associated with this decision.

In consequence of an increase of case numbers, the Tunisian government has imposed a curfew from 18h to 6h fort he period of March 18 to 30. Because of this our production capacity will temporarily be limited. But we try with all possible means to adapt the capacities to the narrowed time frame to counteract furtherdelays on delivery dates. Furthermore the overall situation remains tense – we will keep you updated!

Stay healthy.

Yours faithfully Josef Poster

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