

Bosch Corporation: Change of the Executive Vice President and Director

October 22, 2020

CGR-2020-14

Mr. Alexandre Riesterer, Executive Vice President and Director of Bosch Corporation, Tokyo-Shibuya, Japan, will retire on October 31, 2020.

Effective November 1, 2020, the successor will be **Mr. Christian Mecker**, who currently serves as Senior Managing Officer of Bosch Corporation.

Mr. Mecker's career stages in the Bosch Group

1992	Robert Bosch (France) SAS Gasoline Systems products Application and Sales Engineer
1999	Robert Bosch (France) SAS Starter Motors and Generators Sales Manager
2003	Robert Bosch (France) SAS Energy and Body Systems Global Key Account Manager
2006	Bosch Corporation, Japan Electrical Drives, Starter Motors and Generator Divisions General Manager
2010	Robert Bosch (France) SAS Diesel Systems Division Vice President
2015	Robert Bosch GmbH Germany Diesel Systems Division Senior Vice President
2018	Robert Bosch GmbH Germany Powertrain Solutions Division Senior Vice President
2020/09	Bosch Corporation, Japan Senior Managing Officer
2020/11	Bosch Corporation, Japan Executive Vice President and Director

Mr. Riesterer Curriculum Vitae:

<https://www.bosch.co.jp/press/rbjp-1812-01/media/cv-riesterer-en.pdf>

Mr. Mecker's Curriculum Vitae:

<https://www.bosch.co.jp/press/rbjp-2010-01/media/cv-mecker-en.pdf>

Contact person for press inquiries:

Kiyohiko Sumiya

Aiko Furuichi

Phone: +81 3 5485-3393

Bosch in Japan is currently represented in the country by Bosch Corporation, Bosch Rexroth Corporation and other affiliates. Bosch Corporation is responsible for the development, manufacturing, sales and services of automotive original equipment, automotive aftermarket products and power tools. Bosch Engineering K.K. provides engineering services, such as development and application for automotive systems. ETAS K.K. develops and provides engineering of development support tools of electrical control units. Bosch Rexroth Corporation develops and manufactures hydraulics, FA module components and other systems which contribute to industrial technologies. Bosch Security Systems Ltd. provides security and communication products and solutions to help secure the safety of lives, buildings and properties, and is also a supplier of professional sound systems. In 2019, Bosch Japan achieved sales to third parties of some 330 billion yen and employed approximately 6,700 associates.

Additional information is available online at

<http://www.bosch.co.jp> Bosch Japan Website (Japanese)

<https://twitter.com/BoschJapan> Bosch Japan Twitter (Japanese)

<https://www.facebook.com/bosch.co.jp> Bosch Japan facebook (Japanese and English)

<https://www.youtube.com/boschjp> Bosch Japan Youtube (Japanese)

The Bosch Group is a leading global supplier of technology and services. It employs roughly 400,000 associates worldwide (as of December 31, 2019). The company generated sales of 77.7 billion euros in 2019. Its operations are divided into four business sectors: Mobility Solutions, Industrial Technology, Consumer Goods, and Energy and Building Technology. As a leading IoT provider, Bosch offers innovative solutions for smart homes, Industry 4.0, and connected mobility. Bosch is pursuing a vision of mobility that is sustainable, safe, and exciting. It uses its expertise in sensor technology, software, and services, as well as its own IoT cloud, to offer its customers connected, cross-domain solutions from a single source. The Bosch Group's strategic objective is to facilitate connected living with products and solutions that either contain artificial intelligence (AI) or have been developed or manufactured with its help. Bosch improves quality of life worldwide with products and services that are innovative and spark enthusiasm. In short, Bosch creates technology that is "Invented for life." The Bosch Group comprises Robert Bosch GmbH and its roughly 440 subsidiary and regional companies in 60 countries. Including sales and service partners, Bosch's global manufacturing, engineering, and sales network covers nearly every country in the world. The basis for the company's future growth is its innovative strength. Bosch employs some 72,600 associates in research and development at 126 locations across the globe, as well as roughly 30,000 software engineers.

Additional information is available online at www.bosch.com, www.iot.bosch.com, www.bosch-press.com, www.twitter.com/BoschPresse.