

Multek's Interconnect Technology Center Established in Zhuhai

ZHUHAI, China, July 16, 2014 – Multek, a leading manufacturer of printed circuit board (PCB) technologies, today announced that it is solidifying its presence and advancing the technological infrastructure of its flagship operation in Zhuhai by establishing a state-of-the-art Interconnect Technology Center (ITC). The Center is the first in Asia and second to be launched globally after the Interconnect Technology Center in San Jose, USA, which has been successfully running since July last year.

Multek's ITC in Zhuhai will spearhead the development of new PCB technologies and new product introduction for its customer base across Asia. In that context, the Center will support customer-driven prototype projects that integrate material and process concepts.

"Our specialized ITC team are at the forefront of advanced PCB technology and will work closely with customers to understand their technology roadmaps and solve their most challenging problems," said Franck Lize, president of Multek. "This will enable Multek to develop solutions for rapidly changing technologies needed for tomorrow's electronic hardware and commercialize these technologies within our Zhuhai campus."

Located within Flextronics Industrial Park, Multek is part of Flextronics' end-to-end supply chain solutions. Multek Zhuhai operations span several buildings with annual manufacturing capacity of approximately 1.49 million square meters, offering one-stop engineering and manufacturing services in the area of rigid PCBs, flexible printed circuits, rigid-flex, and flexible circuit assembly. The plants are equipped with state-of-the-art equipment including one of the longest horizontal electro-less and electrolytic copper plating lines in the industry. "In addition, Multek is investing significantly in advanced production technologies such as automation that will help commercialize the solutions developed by ITC," said Lize.

Multek Zhuhai is currently staffed by about 10,000 employees, serving diverse customers in the area of datacom, telecom, server, storage, mobile, consumer, computing, automotive, industrial, and aerospace/defence markets.

About Multek

Multek, a wholly owned subsidiary of Flextronics, is a leading value-add manufacturer of printed circuit board technologies offering a broad spectrum of PCB engineering and manufacturing expertise including high density interconnect, multilayer, flexible circuit and assembly solutions.

Built upon a foundation of rapid response, technology leadership and high reliability solutions for PCB fabrication electronics design and manufacturing, Multek enables customers to take products to market quickly through early engineering, advanced technology new product introduction and volume production through a full range of highperformance products, materials and solutions. For more information, please visit www.multek.com.

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