

Schneider Leichtbau acquired by LKE Group

At the beginning of this year LKE Group, headquartered in Marl, Germany, took over Freiburg-based Schneider Leichtbau, whose broad range of equipment includes metal containers for bulk products as well as aluminium pallets, an area in which it is widely considered to be the global market leader. Schneider Leichtbau products, which are currently used by more than 10,000 customers worldwide, will in future be marketed under the LKE Schneider Leichtbau brand name and will be sold through LKE's own worldwide distribution network. The acquisition is seen as an excellent fit with LKE's existing range of services in the intralogistics sector, where transport equipment and handling products made of stainless steel and aluminium are in great demand.

"We intend to considerably extend our range of services of high quality transport solutions in the area of intralogistics. We want to utilise synergy effects and establish ourselves as a global full-range supplier for in-house and external transport and material flow solutions," said Daniel Möhrke, managing director of LKE Group. www.lke-group.com