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## Press Release

### **Expansion of the Executive Management Team**

- Hettich strengthens its international focus

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Andreas Hettich GmbH is expanding its executive management team, thereby providing a significant boost to the company's future direction. As of June 1, 2026, Volker Viktor has joined the executive management team as Chief Commercial Officer (CCO).

Together with Ralf Ledda (CEO) and Leopold Frank (COO), he will form the management team of Andreas Hettich GmbH going forward. With this new structure, the company is laying the groundwork to systematically expand its global market presence and consistently drive strategic development.

In his role as CCO, Volker Viktor is responsible for sales, marketing, and the company's global subsidiaries. A particular focus is on expanding global sales structures, strengthening the networking of international locations, and intensifying customer relationships in key markets.

*"Hettich stands for quality, innovative strength, and a strong customer focus. I look forward to working with the team to further drive the company's international development and tap into new growth potential", says Volker Viktor.*

With this expanded management team, Hettich is laying the groundwork to continue the company's successful development and further expand its market position both domestically and internationally.

## Media

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### **About Andreas Hettich GmbH**

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