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Changes in Driventec's Executive Board

- Dr. Gregor Wiche, Executive Officer (CEO) Driventec, will leave the company at his own request on September 30, 2026.
- Christoph Günter will assume the position of CEO on September 1, 2026.
- Stefan Bude will become Chief Financial Officer (CFO) on November 1, 2026.

HEIDENHEIM, GERMANY. Driventec announces changes to its Executive Board. Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Dr. Gregor Wiche will leave the company on September 30, 2026, at his own request. Christoph Günter will succeed him as CEO effective September 1, 2026. In addition, Stefan Bude will take over as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) effective November 1, 2026, succeeding Interim CFO Anja Wetzel. These personnel changes will take place with sufficient advance notice, allowing for a structured handover of responsibilities.

“Dr. Gregor Wiche played a key role in establishing Driventec as an independent company and laid the groundwork for its successful development. For this, I would like to express my sincere thanks to him. My appreciation also goes to Anja Wetzel, who has led the finance department over the past months with great dedication and a high level of professionalism. With Christoph Günter and Stefan Bude, Driventec is gaining two internationally experienced leaders with proven industry expertise. Together with the existing management team, they will further strengthen Driventec's competitiveness, consistently align the company with its customers' needs, and shape Driventec's future development based on the foundations that have been laid“, says Dirk Hoke, CEO Voith Group.

Dr. Gregor Wiche led Driventec as CEO since its launch in November 2025. Prior to that, he held various leadership positions within the Voith Group for more than 15 years. He was responsible for establishing the Commercial Vehicles Division and oversaw Driventec's successful journey to becoming an independent company.

With Christoph Günter, an executive with international experience will take over as CEO of Driventic effective September 1, 2026. After holding positions at MAN Commercial Vehicles and Knorr-Bremse, he most recently served as President EMEA at SAF-HOLLAND, where he had overall responsibility for the region's operations.

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“Driventic combines strong technological expertise, long-standing customer relationships, and an experienced international team. I look forward to shaping the company's next phase of development together with the employees, building on this foundation. In doing so, I will focus on customer-centricity, technological competitiveness, and a clear focus on results,” says Christoph Günter.

Stefan Bude has more than 25 years of experience in international leadership roles in the automotive and industrial sectors. Most recently, he served as CFO of Orise. He will bring this extensive experience in international business management and finance to Driventic.

“Joining Driventic is an exciting next step for me. I look forward to contributing my experience to further strengthen the company's financial management. Together with the team, I want to help ensure efficiency and transparency in all financial processes, creating a solid foundation for Driventic's continued growth,” says Stefan Bude.

The timely succession plan demonstrates Driventic's commitment to continuity, while also laying the groundwork for the company to continue on its current course successfully, together with its customers, employees and partners.

About Driventic

Driventic is the specialist for efficient drive technologies in commercial vehicles. Whether for use in e-mobility or conventional drives, Driventic's complete systems and digital services are drivers of the mobility transition – because they enable manufacturers and operators alike to sustainably operate their trucks, buses, and off-highway vehicles. The company's 1,400 employees at 26 locations in 18 countries are dedicated to one mission: to combine ecology with technological progress in the service of efficiency.

This is what Driventic understands by 'Mobility beyond today'.

Driventic has been on the market since November 1, 2025. The company, which is based in Heidenheim, Germany, is a spin-off of parts of the drive systems division of international technology group Voith. All Driventic's products, systems, and digital services are technological refinements and advancements of Voith solutions.

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