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Akey joins Absolute HAITIAN Aftermarket team

Set to lead training programs, provide customer support

Parma, Ohio, (February 11, 2014) – Absolute HAITIAN is pleased to announce the addition of industry veteran Jon Akey to its Aftermarket Operations team as Technical Training Manager. Akey’s multi-faceted responsibilities include leading Absolute HAITIAN’s newly expanded training operation, the development of procedural documentation for training service personnel, customer troubleshooting and sales support. Akey will report to Randy Wendling, Absolute HAITIAN’S Director of Aftermarket Operations.

According to Wendling, “Absolute HAITIAN understands the importance of developing highly trained, productive employees to our customers. The addition of Jon Akey gives us a means to provide the highest-level professional training experience in any of our technical centers or the customers’ site.”

A 30-year veteran of the injection molding industry, Akey is a well-versed machine and applications specialist. An adherent to the scientific approach to injection molding, he has performed hundreds of service and processing classes at customer facilities and has experienced more than 1000 mold changes and machine start-ups. “We believe Jon’s understanding of the production environment will be a great asset to our customers,” said Absolute HAITIAN owner Glenn Frohring. “He is a rock-solid instructor and great resource for our entire team.”

“My goal is to help customers achieve profitability through maximizing our molding machines,” said Akey. “There is great satisfaction in finding solutions to a wide range of challenges posed by a diverse customer base. I enjoy training people and seeing that training put to good use.”

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Absolute HAITIAN, based in Worcester, Massachusetts, is the exclusive sales and service partner in the U.S. and Canada for Ningbo Haitian Machinery Co., Ltd. based in Ningbo, China. Ningbo Haitian Machinery Co., Ltd. is the world's largest supplier of plastics injection molding machinery, shipping in excess of 22,000 machines in 2012. Haitian products are sold in more than 130 countries with machine sizes ranging from 40 – 6000 metric tons of clamp force. More information is available by visiting the Absolute HAITIAN website at www.absolutehaitian.com

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