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Portland Products and Pro Stamp Combine Forces to Extend Capabilities and Better Serve Customers

Portland Products, a leading manufacturer of stampings and mechanical assemblies for automotive and heavy truck customers, today announced it has combined with Pro Stamp, a West Michigan metal stamper. Together, Portland Products and Pro Stamp will offer industry leading capabilities in stamping, welding and assembly.

The two companies will operate as independent entities and merge overtime.

"Pro Stamp's expertise and broad capabilities in stamping strengthen Portland Product's position as a premier supplier of metal stampings and assemblies," said Rick Slater Co-CEO and President of Sales at Portland Products. "By joining forces, we look forward to better serving our entire customer base by offering expanded stamping capabilities and a broad range of post-stamping value add processes."

Combined, the companies offer stamping capabilities with press tonnages from 65 tons up to 1000 tons along with extensive experience in robotic MIG and resistance welding that incorporates a high degree of automated assembly and error-proofing to produce complex mechanisms.

"We are excited for the opportunities that this brings for our current and future customers," said Shawn Tilstra President of Pro Stamp. "Our values and mission are aligned, and the team is ready for the next chapter."

Sleeping Giant Capital invested in Portland Products in 2024 behind Co-CEOs Rick Slater and Ben Greve. "We are proud to continue the legacy of West Michigan manufacturing excellence with mission-aligned partners like Pro Stamp," said Doug Lepisto Managing Partner at Sleeping Giant Capital.

About Portland Products

Founded in 1947, Portland Products is a leading manufacturer of stampings and assemblies primarily for the automotive, heavy truck and off-road markets.

About Pro Stamp

Founded in 2008, Pro Stamp is manufacturer of metal stampings based in Grand Rapids, MI, serving a diverse customer base that includes the appliance, furniture, automotive and general industrial markets.