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Swiss merger – BMF Group takes over Gangloff Cabins



The Bartholet Group has expanded its range of offers by integrating the Gangloff Cabin segment. This makes it a full-scale provider in the areas of cable railway construction, amusement park facilities, cabin construction, road train systems and special constructions. This next development step of the corporate group in Flums is based on the maxim “Swiss Quality – From a single source for all customers worldwide”.

Gangloff Cabins AG is a family enterprise that was founded in Bern in the year 1928 with its specialisation in the construction and manufacture of wagons and cabins for funicular railways and aerial cableways, gondolas for gondola cableways as well as custom products. Much like the BMF Group AG which works in the areas of cable railways, amusement park facilities and mechanical engineering, Gangloff Cabins AG is an enterprise that is also very strongly anchored in Switzerland with ever widening international activities.

Given the immense know-how of the two Swiss companies and their competent staff members, all manufacturing and assembly works – from development, engineering and construction through production up to the end-product – can now be performed by a single source. Gangloff Cabins will further remain an independent company in the market for all customers. In addition to newly-made products, customer service and spare parts supply for all Gangloff products will also be further expanded. A new production locality is being planned for Gangloff Cabins in the medium term to ensure continued upgrade and lean production.

Thomas Spiegelberg will take over the executive management of Gangloff Cabins. The present management of Gangloff Cabins, led by Marc and Regina Pfister, will continue to work at Gangloff Cabins and further develop the company within the BMF Group. Staff members will be offered additional perspectives in terms of market and product expansion. Gangloff Cabins will be able to produce its high-class products anew in an enterprise within the BMF Group.

Against this background, we jointly look forward to a successful future and are grateful to our customers for the trust they continue to place in us.

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