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Vikan Acquires Remco Products, Announces Plans to Add U.S. Manufacturing Facility

Global leader expands international footprint with acquisition and expansion of manufacturing capabilities

(Skive, DENMARK) — Vikan, the world’s leading supplier of hygienic cleaning products for the food and beverage industry, today announced the acquisition of Remco Products, its longtime exclusive U.S. partner and producer of color-coded food handling tools. Vikan also announced they will open a new manufacturing facility in the United States as part of its strategic growth plans.

Through these initiatives, Vikan further extends its reach into the U.S. market and lays the foundation for further growth in the region.

Carsten Bo Pedersen, CEO, Vikan, says the company is excited about the long-term value the combination of Vikan and Remco will create for customers, partners, stakeholders and employees.

“We have long considered Remco to be part of the Vikan family, and we are eager to continue to work more closely with the Remco team to further service the U.S. market and our customers,” said Pedersen. “By adding world-class manufacturing capability combined with a dedicated presence in the region with Remco, Vikan is today positioned to provide even more value to our customer base.”

As part of the acquisition plan, Remco will continue to be operated by its current employees, and Michael Garrison will remain as President of the company.

“Vikan has an unmatched reputation in the industry, and I’m confident the synergies between Vikan and Remco in product development, marketing, sales and distribution combined with exceptional customer support, will contribute to the success of the overall organization,” said Garrison.

Remco has been a distributor of Vikan products as well as their own hygienic shovels, scoops, and scrapers, for more than 30 years and provides full sales support and delivery across the U.S. and Canada.

For more information, please visit <https://www.vikan.com/us/>

About Remco Products

Remco provides specialized color-coded tools for cleaning and material handling where hygiene and safety are critical. The introduction of a food-safe polypropylene shovel more than 30 years ago established Remco as an industry pioneer of hygienic

design. In addition to its hygienic shovels, scoops, and scrapers, Remco features Vikan's advanced line of brushes, brooms, and squeegees. Together with Vikan, Remco supports color-coding plans by offering more tools in more colors than any other supplier. Remco also provides training and support to end users, helping ensure regulatory compliance. Regardless of an operation's size or complexity, Remco has the tools and expertise to help execute HACCP color-coding plans.

About Vikan

Vikan develops, manufactures and markets professional cleaning equipment and systems that promote the highest standards of hygiene, while offering extensive choice and value for the money. Recognised leaders in research and product development, Vikan has been setting standards in effective, durable cleaning tools and advanced services for decades. A profound knowledge of cleaning standards, methods and technologies, coupled with a unique model for co-innovating with customers, help make Vikan the clear leader in hygienic cleaning solutions worldwide.