

Press Release from Tectus SA & BBR VT International Ltd. (Zürich, December 12, 2018, 10:00 am CET)

## **Dr. Antonio Caballero joins the Tectus Group as CTO**

**Tectus SA is delighted to announce the appointment of Dr. Antonio Caballero as Chief Technical Officer of the Tectus Group effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019**

**BBR VT International Ltd is pleased to announce the appointments of Juan Maier as CEO, Cezary Sternicki as Deputy CEO and Dr. Behzad Manshadi as CTO who jointly form the new operational management team**

Antonio joined BBR VT International Ltd in 2009 as Head of R&D, later becoming General Manager – Head of Technology and, since 2014 he led BBR VT International Ltd as its CEO. Under his leadership, BBR VT International Ltd expanded its product and technologies portfolio as well as introducing new business lines, strengthening its production and supply chain ensuring continued competitiveness and best-in-class service – all of which resulted in enlarging the geographical reach of the BBR Network into new territories in Asia and the Middle East.

Starting 1 January 2019 Antonio will join the Tectus Group as its CTO a newly-created cross-functional position focused on harnessing and developing business synergies arising in the fields of technical excellence and digital technology – with a focus on Proceq, BBR, Tectus Dreamlab, Screening Eagle and emerging technologies. This promotion will also see Dr. Caballero become a Board member at BBR VT International Ltd and Proceq SA.

BBR VT International Ltd is pleased to announce its new management team, consisting of Juan Maier and Cezary Sternicki in the roles of CEO and Deputy CEO respectively and Dr. Behzad Manshadi, who will also join the senior management team as CTO. Antonio will support during the transitional phase and hand over his duties to the new management team.

Dr. Antonio Caballero said: *“This is a unique opportunity to contribute to the further development of Tectus Group of companies as they embrace digital transformation. I am particularly delighted that, in my new role, I shall be able to continue to contribute to the on-going success of the worldwide BBR family and the team at BBR VT International.”*

Marcel Poser, Tectus Group CEO and Chairman of BBR VT International Ltd, commented: *“It has long been the Tectus Group strategy to encourage and promote talented people to drive our businesses to even greater success. This is particularly important now, in the fast-paced business environment created by the Industry 4.0 digital revolution. I would like to congratulate Antonio and also the new senior management team at BBR VT International.”*

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### About Tectus Group



The Tectus Group is a family-owned multi-national business with headquarters in Zurich, Switzerland. The group has diverse activities across six market segments: IoT & sensing, digital health, entertainment & lifestyle, real estate, engineering & construction, and advisory & investments. Tectus has built industry-leading businesses since 1944 – bbrnetwork.com, proceq.com and TVN Group – while continuously exploring next-frontier technologies with new ventures such as tectusdreamlab.com, screeningeagle.com, neuropro.ch and virtuallylive.com. [www.tectusgroup.com](http://www.tectusgroup.com)



### About BBR VT International Limited

The BBR brand of innovation and technical excellence was originally brought together in 1944 by its three Swiss founders – Antonio Brandestini, Max Birkenmaier and Mirko Robin Roš. Today, the BBR Network is recognized as the leading group of specialized engineering contractors in the field of post-tensioning, stay cable and related construction engineering.

BBR VT International Ltd is the Technical Headquarters and Business Development Centre of the BBR Network located in Switzerland. The shareholders of BBR VT International Ltd are BBR Holding Ltd (Switzerland), a subsidiary of the Tectus Group (Switzerland) and KB Spennteknikk AS (Norway), a subsidiary of the KB Group (Norway). [www.bbrnetwork.com](http://www.bbrnetwork.com)



### About Proceq SA

Swiss headquartered Proceq is shaping the future of screening and sensing technologies for a wide range of materials. The company utilizes latest technologies to digitize the non-destructive testing (NDT) industry with powerful portable and connected devices. Proceq, part of the Tectus Group, has been providing innovative inspection and testing solutions since 1954 using a wide range of techniques. With strong R&D teams in Switzerland and in Singapore, the firm continues to lead the industry in innovation and introduction of new solutions. Proceq’s high quality devices are Swiss Made, and with subsidiaries in Brazil, the United States of America, the United Kingdom, Russia, the United Arab Emirates, China, Singapore, and a network of over 200 sales and service partners, Proceq provides best in class customer support and service. [www.proceq.com](http://www.proceq.com)



### About Screening Eagle

Screening Eagle is a cloud-based telematics platform for intelligent inspection and predictive maintenance of assets and infrastructure developed by Tectus Dreamlab Pte Ltd.. The Screening Eagle platform connects high-performance IoT sensors from robotics to traditional devices with workflow software and data visualization and analytics to deliver a full-stack solution that enhances the productivity, data integrity, safety of the assets while reducing total cost of ownership and boosting net present value. Besides being the operating system for screening and sensing devices, the holistic platform enables real time data sharing and data management for asset monitoring, maintenance and inspection of assets to secure data integrity over the entire lifecycle. [www.screeningeagle.com](http://www.screeningeagle.com)

### About Tectus Dreamlab



Tectus Dreamlab Pte Ltd was established at Fusionopolis/OneNorth in Singapore in 2015 by the Tectus Group, to focus on cutting-edge, cross-functional research. The Tectus Dreamlab team works on cross-disciplinary R&D projects that leverage existing expertise within the Tectus Group, combined with the novel technologies and capabilities through collaborations with the Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A\*STAR), the National University of Singapore (NUS) and support from EDB Singapore. [www.tectusdreamlab.com](http://www.tectusdreamlab.com)



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