

NEW LEACH INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT FOCUSED ON STRONG DISTRIBUTION AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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Leach International Corporation has appointed Jamie Davy as their new President. The transition comes as Carsten Muller, the outgoing President, takes on a new role as the President of Kirkhill, another TransDigm Group company.

Jamie brings a wealth of experience and a proven track record of leadership within the aerospace sector. With a solid background in Aerospace Engineering, Jamie initially joined a TransDigm Group company in 2012 as a Project Engineer. His escalating responsibilities saw him transition into the roles of Business Unit Manager and later Vice President of Sales and Marketing. In 2022, Jamie brought his expertise to Leach International Corporation as the Vice President of Operations.

The aerospace industry's move toward electrification creates specific needs in power distribution. Aircraft manufacturers require higher voltage systems, more efficient components, and reliable supply chains. Through Leach's partnership with distributors like FDH Aero and AAR Corp, Jamie explains, *"We ensure our components are readily available when customers need them. ..."* *"Our distribution network is essential to supporting commercial aviation and military readiness. By maintaining strong relationships with our franchise distributors, we help ensure mission-critical parts reach customers efficiently and reliably."*

Jamie intends to focus on strengthening Leach's distribution capabilities while developing new technologies. The ongoing work on 270 V power distribution systems and hybrid contactors is one example that reflects Leach's response to customer requirements for higher power capabilities in modern aircraft. Leach continues to focus on meeting customer needs through reliable distribution and targeted product development, particularly the expansion of voltage and power capabilities.

The customer service approach also needs to be flexible: *"Understanding each customer's specific needs allows us to provide both off-the-shelf solutions from our 3,000-part catalog and customized products when required. This flexibility in our distribution model helps us serve diverse customer requirements across multiple industries,"* Jamie says. *"The investments we will continue to make in testing capabilities, engineering resources, and facility upgrades support both our distribution network and manufacturing excellence. These improvements will help to ensure consistent quality and availability of our components through our distribution channels."*

About Leach International

A leader in electrical power distribution since 1919, Leach International sets the standard for the design and manufacture of electrical relays, contactors, power distribution assemblies, electrical switches, relays, and control devices. With industry-leading customers in aviation, space, military, and railway systems, Leach has established a reputation as power distribution experts who create quality products built for longevity and mission-critical performance.