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MEDIA INFORMATION

FURTHER ORDER FOR INVENTA-FISCHER from China

The Engineering Company INVENTA-FISCHER – a member of the EMS-group – has received a further contract from China.

This contract covers the design and supply of a plant for the production of 200'000 tons polyester melt/chips annually (1 production line). Terephthalic acid and ethylene glycol will be used as raw materials.

INVENTA-FISCHER will furnish the technology (continuous polycondensation), perform the engineering work and supply the relevant process equipment. Additionally, INVENTA-FISCHER will delegate its specialists for the supervision of the erection work and the commissioning of the plant.

The production plant will be operated by Shandong Zibo Universal New Materials Co. Ltd. at Zibo, Shandong Province. Start of the production is scheduled for mid 2005. The contract value is estimated at over CHF 16 mio.

INVENTA-FISCHER has previously supplied a polyester plant to this client. This production plant is in operation since November 2002.