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Dear Customer,

We are pleased to inform you that effective September 1, 2017, we have sold our portfolio of electrophoretic coating products to e-coating systems specialist Hawking Electrotechnology.

The UK-based company with a focus on innovative and environmentally friendly processes is a leading specialist in the area of electrophoretic coating technologies. Atotech and Hawking share the same principles with regards to innovation, customer service, and developing sustainable products of the highest quality, making Hawking the ideal partner for this acquisition.

Our electrophoretic product portfolio, the trademark Decofin, stock and know-how will be transferred to Hawking giving a smooth transition for customers. During this period, we can ensure no change to the formulation of the product, current customer care, technical support and on-time deliveries.

In case of any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Ernesto Salazar

Global Business Manager

Decorative coatings & Plating on plastics