



Louis R. Hughes named to the supervisory board of MTU Aero Engines Holding AG

Munich – Upon a proposal by the holding, the Munich register court has named Louis R. Hughes (56) to the supervisory board of MTU Aero Engines Holding AG, effective January 30, 2006.

Hughes replaces Reinhard Gorenflos, Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co Ltd. The move comes in view of the change in MTU Aero Engines' ownership structure in the wake of the IPO and KKR's exit from MTU.

By appointing an executive from the U.S. to its supervisory board, MTU underscores the international nature of its business.

Hughes has a background of many years in various executive management functions, among them that of President & COO of Lockheed Martin. Previously, he had served in a number of distinguished leadership positions at General Motors Corporation, including Chairman of Adam Opel AG, President of General Motors Europe and President of General Motors International Operations. Hughes is a member of the supervisory boards of several international companies, among them ABB, Sulzer, British Telecom and AB Electrolux.

MTU Aero Engines, with its about 6,800 employees, is Germany's leading engine manufacturer and the world's largest independent provider of commercial engine maintenance services. The company has established leading positions in engine technology worldwide and closely cooperates with the world's major engine manufacturers.

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