

# **Press release**

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## **BAUER Spezialtiefbau GmbH sells Austrian subsidiary to ZÜBLIN**

**Schrobenhausen, Germany/Vienna, Austria –** The STRABAG subsidiary ZÜBLIN Spezialtiefbau Ges.m.b.H. and BAUER Spezialtiefbau Ges.m.b.H., Austria, will be joining forces in the future. With the acquisition of BAUER Spezialtiefbau Ges.m.b.H, ZÜBLIN is further expanding its expertise in this segment and bundling its offering for customers in Austria.

"For strategic reasons, we decided not to pursue specialist foundation engineering in Austria any further and therefore looked for a good solution for our company and the people. We have found this with ZÜBLIN and wish the team every success for the future," said Peter Hingott, Executive Board Member of BAUER AG.

"This acquisition is an important step in our growth strategy. By merging with BAUER Spezialtiefbau Austria, we can deepen our expertise in the field of pile construction, and we are very pleased to welcome the new team to our ranks," explains Reinhard Kerschner, member of the ZÜBLIN Management Board. From 2026, full integration will take place under the ZÜBLIN Spezialtiefbau brand.

The closing has already taken place. The parties have agreed not to disclose the purchase price.

#### About BAUER Spezialtiefbau Group

BAUER Spezialtiefbau GmbH, the original parent company of the BAUER Group, has been a major driving force in the development of specialist foundation engineering. It carries out all of the customary processes of foundation engineering, primarily for excavation pits, foundations, cut-off walls and ground improvements on a worldwide basis. In doing so, BAUER Spezialtiefbau GmbH works closely together with their subsidiaries and branches across the globe. Regional networks around the world allow for the quick and flexible application of machines, teams and expertise. Bauer Spezialtiefbau offers their customers individual, creative and economical specialist foundation engineering solutions for demanding construction projects, from planning through to execution. More at <a href="https://geotechnical-solutions.bauer.de/en">https://geotechnical-solutions.bauer.de/en</a>.

### **About Bauer**

The BAUER Group is a leading provider of services, equipment and products dealing with ground and groundwater. The Group can rely on a worldwide network on all continents. The Group's operations are divided into three forward-looking segments: Geotechnical Solutions, Equipment and Resources. Bauer profits enormously from the collaboration of its three business segments, enabling the Group to position itself as an innovative, highly specialized provider of products and services for demanding projects in specialist foundation engineering and related markets. Bauer therefore offers suitable solutions to the world's greatest challenges, such as urbanization, the growing infrastructure needs, the environment, as well as water. The BAUER Group was founded in 1790 and is based in Schrobenhausen, Bavaria. In 2024, it employed about 11,000 people and



achieved total Group revenues of EUR 2.2 billion worldwide. More information can be found at <u>https://www.bauer.de/en</u>. Follow us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>YouTube</u>!

#### About ZÜBLIN Spezialtiefbau

Züblin Spezialtiefbau GmbH is a wholly owned subsidiary of Ed. Züblin AG and is part of the STRABAG SE group of companies. The range of services offered by Züblin Spezialtiefbau covers all aspects of foundation engineering. The portfolio ranges from complex infrastructure projects to foundation measures and turnkey excavation pits to immersed tunnels. With innovative technologies and tailor-made solutions, the company contributes to the successful implementation of complex construction projects.