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PRESS RELEASE

port GmbH strengthens its sales and support in South Africa – Cooperation with *Harmony Electronics Pty Ltd* Started"

Through the cooperation with " Harmony Electronics Pty Ltd " expands the "port GMBH" its presence in South Africa. "Due to the rising demand from South Africa, we were forced to take a strong partner for the sales support / advice and after sales - service to search," said Dietmar R. Franke, CEO of the Port GmbH

"With Harmony Electronics Pty Ltd , we have found it. As early as last year, the cooperation has started successfully, so we can now expand. For our Stack's, tools and drivers in industrial communication technology (CANopen, PROFINET, POWERLINK, EtherCAT, Ethernet I / P and IP cores), there is now a first-level service, which is especially important for our technology partners such as Texas Instruments, Renesas, STM, ALTERA or XILINX is. With this cooperation, we have taken the first important step towards "face by the customer" in Asia " - says Dietmar R. Franke (CEO of the Port GmbH)

About port GmbH

port is known as one of the leading providers for communication technologies. Starting with CANopen in 1990 port the portfolio now contains all major protocol of the Industrial Ethernet world such as PROFINET, EtherNet/IP, EtherCAT and POWERLINKI. Besides the standard activities like licensing protocol stacks, training and implementation port also offers customer specific engineering services and manufacturing services for electronic devices and systems.

About Harmony Electronics Pty Ltd

Harmony Electronics has extensive knowledge in the semi conductor industry in offering a world class programming service at competitive rates. Experienced in a wide range of electronic industry segments, including industrial, consumer, telecom, power, security and military. We are



particularly recognised for our experience and expertise in high volume production programming and in depth technical know how on Microcontroller products, thus delivering excellent Customer Experiences, as well as building mutually beneficial relationships with our customers. Our In depth expertise on Microcontroller products allow us to offer more specialised services including Firmware/Hardware development for ARM based and MIPS technology.