

VDE Institute and Japan Gas Appliances Inspection Association (JIA) to cooperate

(Frankfurt a. M. / Osaka, Japan, 2023-01-12) VDE has signed a memorandum of understanding with JIA (Japan Gas Appliances Inspection Association), the Japanese national testing and certification body for assessment of gas supply systems. JIA provides a testing and certification services according to Japanese national standards JIS, PSE as well as EMC, safety, flammability testing for the wide range of electric components and systems.

MOU objective is cooperation of both sides to implement local testing, starting with Motor compressor and material testing, which allows to utilize the mutual knowledge, experiences, and equipment at maximum. Both parties agree that the delivery of VDE's professional certification services in Japan creates opportunities for assessment on the spot. JIA and VDE look forward to continuous and gradual increase of collaborative projects.



Sven Öhrke, Managing Director VDE Global Services, and Hideo Nakanishi, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer JIA (Credit: JIA)

About the VDE Institute

The VDE mark is synonymous with safety and quality in electrical devices, components and systems for more than 100 years. The VDE Institute - a subsidiary of the VDE Group - is a worldwide partner for industry customers, business, government authorities, the electrical trade and consumers. More than 100,000 devices per year are subjected to product, quality and safety tests by the VDE Institutes independent testing engineers before they receive the VDE mark. Around the globe, VDE experts monitor more than 7,000 production facilities. Cooperation agreements with more than 50 countries ensure that the tests performed by the VDE Institute are internationally recognized. 200,000 types of products with millions of model variants bear the VDE mark worldwide. The VDE Testing and Certification Institute GmbH, a non-profit organization, employs more than 500 people in Offenbach am Main.

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consulting under one umbrella. The VDE mark has been synonymous with the highest safety standards and consumer protection for more than 100 years.

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