

Company History of Dipl. Ing. Werner Graf AG

- 1939 Mr. Werner Graf founds the „Dipl. Ing Werner Graf,, belt manufacturing company as a sole proprietorship in Zürich
- 1945 Mr. Anton Graf, brother of Mr. Werner Graf, purchases real estate on Buechenstrasse in Staad. The property, a former bell foundry (1874-1940), housed a paint and dye factory from 1940-1953



Mr. Werner Graf
Founder
1939 - 1977

- 1952 **Registration of the trademark HEVALOID®**
- 1953 Mr. Werner Graf purchases the property in Staad from his brother
- 1962 Construction of the western annexe, a production area for fabricating rubber coating and SOLUTUS belts
- 1963 Construction of the „Durisol,, workshop for rubber compounding (later used as a grinding/processing shop)
- 1970 Construction of the eastern annexe comprising a production hall for weaving mills and offices
- 1977 Death of Mr. Werner Graf, the company's founder



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- 1978 **Company reformed as a limited company „Dipl. Ing. Werner Graf AG,, and acquired by co. Leder & CO. AG (today Ammeraal Beltech AG)**
- 1979 Appointment of Mr. Heinrich Sieber as Managing Director
- 1988 Sale of the company and transition to independence
- 1992 Installation of an environmentally-friendly steam boiler
- 1995 Installation of the long-desired goods and passenger lift



Mr. Heinrich Sieber
Managing Director
1979 - 2000

1999 Reconstruction of the vulcanisation building

2000 Mr. Heinrich Sieber retires. Mr. Edgar Seiz appointed new Managing Director

2005 Construction of new eastern annexe (two-floors) for grinding/processing and weaving mills



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Mr. Edgar Seiz
Managing Director
since 2000

2008 Installation of a sophisticated ventilation plant with process heat recovery

2011 Opening of new cafeteria/classroom

2013 25 years „Independency Graf“

2014 75 years company anniversary

2017 Trademark RONDLAST® high-performance round belts

2020 Apprenticeship for a Mediamatician started and investment in a photovoltaic system as well as an electric car

2021 New marketing presence with refreshed company logo

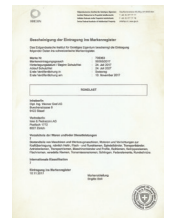
2022 Installation of a geothermal heat pump for heating the entire building

2023 Doubling of the photovoltaic system

2024 85th year of operation of Dipl. Ing. Werner Graf AG

2026 Beginning of environmentally friendly and safe belt production – using VOC-free processes

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