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Bielefeld (Germany), August 9, 2007 – The Duvenbeck Group (Bocholt) has chosen SAP consultation from itelligence (Bielefeld), the full-service IT provider for SAP. Duvenbeck is an international forwarding and logistics service provider in the automotive industry and generated annual revenues of approximately MEUR 150 with around 1,600 employees in 2006. Along with sites in Germany, Duvenbeck has its own branches in Poland, Austria, Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Spain, Russia and Romania.

In the first project stage, the Finance, Controlling, Material Management and Maintenance and Human Resources divisions will migrate to SAP ERP 2005 by the end of the year in Germany and Austria. In so doing, the itelligence consultants will develop a logistics add-on for the truck fleet park. This will include truck management, the connection of telematic systems and full service plans with corresponding integration for cost-unit accounting. The aim is to be able to monitor costs company-wide and thus across countries and sites. This is a complex and interesting task: the data is combined under an SAP umbrella, despite substantial differences in country-specific features, thus making it transparent and comparable.

"In our growth-oriented industry, we count on the introduction of SAP solutions for our logistical requirements," comments Jörg Küppers, SAP Project Manager for the Duvenbeck Group. "In itelligence, we have found an SAP consulting company with exactly the right knowledge of the industry and sound SAP proficiency for this complex issue."

"This demanding project enables us to demonstrate how we develop a group-wide solution with interfaces to operating logistic systems in forwarding handling to the SAP standard," added Volker Eils, Project Manager at itelligence AG. "Duvenbeck benefits from our know-how in international projects and roll-out experiences in Eastern European regions too as well as from the flexibility of a service provider in the midmarket."

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