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Breaking News

CCL Tube relocating, increasing capacity

CARSON, CALIF. (Jan. 9, 6:10 p.m. EST) -- A leading manufacturer of tube packaging will move this summer from its central Los Angeles plant to greener — as in, environmentally friendly — pastures.

EDI turning acquired building into tech center

CHIPPEWA FALLS, WIS. (Jan. 9, 5:50 p.m. EST) -- Flat die maker Extrusion Dies Industries LLC is converting a 19,600-square-foot industrial building it purchased a half-mile from its headquarters in Chippewa Falls into a technology center.

ACC's PBA prepares to advocate for bag makers

ARLINGTON, VA. (Jan. 9, 4:10 p.m. EST) -- The initials are the same. But the new advocacy group launched by the American Chemistry Council Jan 4. to address plastic bag issues will be known as the Progressive Bag Affiliates and include both resin producers and bag manufacturers. The new PBA, which replaces the Progressive Bag Alliance, will be part of the plastics division of the ACC.

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Sumitomo looks at Demag; Krauss Maffei mulls IPO

MUNICH, GERMANY (Jan. 9, 12:05 p.m. EST) -- Some of the former Mannesmann Plastics Machinery GmbH companies may soon have new owners. Japan's Sumitomo Heavy Industries Ltd. has expressed interest in buying sister companies Demag Ergotech and Van Dorn Demag, while Krauss Maffei AG is reportedly preparing to file an initial public offering.

Georg Fischer to acquire Central Plastics

SHAWNEE, OKLA. (Jan. 8, 6:40 p.m. EST) -- Swiss industrial group Georg Fischer Corp. said today it has agreed to purchase Central Plastics Co., a

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