



Kitamura Machinery Expands Territory of JBM Technologies

Highly experienced, full service dealer will now represent precision machining center company in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware and northern tip of Virginia.

Wheeling, Ill. (June 17, 2008) – [Kitamura Machinery](#), the premier manufacturer of horizontal, vertical and 5-axis [machining centers](#), announced today that JBM Technologies has been awarded exclusive rights to represent the company's products in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware and the northern tip of Virginia. JBM has earned a sterling reputation for customer service in its 20-year association with Kitamura Machinery. The full-service dealer will continue to provide every facet of machining from sales to training to support for Kitamura's high-quality, high-precision machining centers.

The announcement is an expansion of JBM Technologies' territory, which originally included New Jersey, Long Island, New York, and portions of Pennsylvania and Delaware. All services will be provided out of sales offices in Ivyland, a suburb of Philadelphia, and Meadville, in the northwestern part of Pennsylvania.

“We have had a long and successful association with Kitamura Machinery,” said John Watkins, president of JBM Technologies. “The rigid construction and attention to detail that goes into every machining center they make is ideal for shops that require both high precision and high productivity. We are proud that our work and our reputation for servicing our customers will now allow us to bring their products to a wider customer base.”

Every Kitamura machining center is manufactured with no-compromise construction that combines the best of old world traditions, such as [hand scraping](#), [solid boxways](#) and gear drive spindle technology, with state-of-the-art innovations. This construction also allows Kitamura machining centers to last longer than competitive machines, continuing to provide a return on investment long after units from other manufacturers have been replaced.

“JBM Technologies has a long history of outstanding service and support to Kitamura users throughout the region,” said Mike Umeno, vice president of Kitamura Machinery. “Since 1986, their top-notch service, quick and knowledgeable parts support, and technical expertise have helped our customers make the most of their machining investments. Together, JBM Technologies and Kitamura Machinery offer an unbeatable value to shops and manufacturers of all sizes.”

About Kitamura Machinery

Founded in 1933, Kitamura Machinery is dedicated to building the most technically advanced horizontal, vertical and 5-axis machining centers in the world. Kitamura machining centers are known and respected for their no-compromises precision and extended floor life even under the most demanding conditions. With its U.S. Corporate Headquarters located in Wheeling, Illinois,

Kitamura Machinery provides its products to a diverse customer base worldwide. For more information please visit www.kitamura-machinery.com or contact us at 1-847-520-7755.

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