

## Press Release

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## Till Isensee New Director of Sales & Marketing at DS-Chemie

**Bremen, November 9, 2006** – The sales organization of DS-Chemie GmbH, Bremen, a member of ALTANA Chemie AG, will be strengthened from November 2006 by the new Director of Sales & Marketing Till Isensee.

Previously, Mr. Isensee was ten years with the Impress Group (Deventer/NL), initially as R&D Manager and subsequently Strategic Business Development Manager.

With a university degree in packaging technology, experience with a broad customer base, combined with his extensive expertise, Mr. Isensee will be able to provide DS-Chemie with crucial support as it continues to develop and market innovative solutions for closure sealing compounds.

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*At present the ALTANA Chemie Group has 34 production facilities and 42 service and research laboratories worldwide. Throughout the group about 4450 people work to ensure the success of ALTANA Chemie worldwide. In 2005 ALTANA Chemie achieved sales of 907 million euros. Its impressive earning power and high growth rate make ALTANA Chemie one of the most successful and innovative chemical groups worldwide.*

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