



MCK METALS PACIFIC

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MCK Metals Pacific Limited Announce New Corporate Name



McKechnie[™]
Transforming Aluminium

The Directors of MCK Metals Pacific Limited are pleased to advise that we will be changing our corporate name and identity to **McKechnie**. This change will officially take place on 1 November 2009.

The expansion of the business into aluminium distribution in New Zealand, fabrication and automotive products and its entry into a brand new business of manufacturing and nationwide distribution of aluminium windows and doors in New Zealand is an opportune time to re-brand the business. It is important to present to all our stakeholders a business which has transformed itself from a supplier of commodity based products to a company which now has a high proportion of its sales in value added products and services and generating over 50% of all its revenue through exports.

The re-branding of the business back to the “McKechnie” name was very important as the name has a strong sense of history and importance in the hearts of our customers, employees, suppliers and the people of New Zealand and Australia who still call us by that name. We are confident that our new identity will help us build on the strong success and history established over the past 56 years. Our new website is www.mckechnie.co.nz . Please take time to visit our new website.

As a consequence of the re-branding, the trading entity will change its legal name from MCK Metals Pacific Limited to McKechnie Aluminium Solutions Limited.

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It also gives me great pleasure to announce the launch of our new window and door business, namely, **Open Building Solutions Limited**.



Over the previous two years our window and door design team have been working hard to develop a window and door product for New Zealanders to enjoy. In time, we may make these products available to the Australian market as well. The problems with leaky homes and condensation issues associated with aluminium joinery have adversely impacted the homes and health of many New Zealanders. Our designers have addressed these problems, together with the increasingly important subject of energy efficiency and have developed a product which is thermally efficient and addresses the condensation problems faced by many households. Our product is clearly ahead in terms of performance and features when compared to other available window and door systems. Please take the time to visit our website on www.openbuildingsolutions.com for an outline of benefits and features –you will not be disappointed with what you see.

McKechnie is entering into another exciting phase in its 56 year history and we are dedicated to building on our company's great tradition of providing customers outstanding products and services. We value the support and custom of all our stakeholders as we develop and grow the business.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me personally.

Yours sincerely,

Pramod Khatri
Chief Executive/Managing Director

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Chairman