

## Expanding metalworking company is moving to Bjert and taking over 20 employees



NSM A/S is taking over the production buildings and machinery for manufacturing special components as well as 20 employees from TRESU Group, which will relocate to a new company site at Kolding in 2019. The owner and director of NSM A/S, Lars Evald (right) has been looking for more space for a long time, and now the company has entered into a strategic cooperation with TRESU Group and its CEO, Søren Maarssø (left). In the future, TRESU will produce components at NSM A/S. Photo: Søren Gylling

When TRESU Group moves from Bjert next summer, the metalworking company, NSM A/S, will move into the premises vacated by TRESU. However, as of 1 October, NSM A/S will already take over part of the premises when, as part of a strategic agreement, it takes over 20 employees from TRESU Group.

Kolding: The metalworking company, NSM A/S, was looking for more space. The company will obtain this in Bjert when it takes over its new site from TRESU in summer 2019.

NSM A/S will take over the production buildings, machinery for manufacturing special components and associated employees from TRESU Group, which will relocate to a new company site at Kolding in 2019. Today, NSM employs around 50 employees at its current production site at Ambolten, and will take over 20 of the former TRESU employees within the machining field.

- For the last two to three years, we have had difficulty keeping up with demand despite investment in production. Therefore, we have been looking for larger buildings, or a new building, for a long while. When we heard that TRESU Group was planning to move to a new production site, we were shown around their current headquarters and production facilities. During the tour, the idea of taking over TRESU's machining section arose, and it ended up being part of the agreement, says Lars Evald, who is the owner and director of NSM A/S. The 20 employees working in the machining section will become part of NSM A/S from 1 October this year.

## Brief details about NSM A/S

NSM A/S specialises in the processing of highly complex stainless steel components. The company supplies equipment for food and pharmaceutical production, for the offshore industry and the technological and chemical industries. The company is owned by Director Lars Evald.



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## New opportunities

Today, NSM A/S specialises in the processing of highly complex stainless steel components, which the company supplies to some of Denmark's largest companies. NSM A/S is now replacing its 2,200 square metres at Ambolten with the 7,500 square metres at Bjert.

- The new situation will give us a whole range of new opportunities. The new employees will provide the company with new skills in new areas. We are currently working in machining, but it is with completely different materials. The new situation offers completely new possibilities, and we have gained a new big customer in Tresu. This is a unique opportunity, and in the long term we can also sell to other customers because we have acquired other competencies in-house. So this really is an outstanding opportunity, says Lars Evald.

The company has grown significantly since 2009. In 2009, there were 14 employees. Today, NSM A/S employee 50 persons.

## Workplaces will remain in Kolding

The new strategic cooperation is also welcomed by the CEO of TRESU Group, Søren Maarsø.

- It is included in the agreement with NSM that our machinery will be transferred, and TRESU's employees in the machining field are also going over to NSM. As a company, we operate internationally, but as an entrepreneur in the Trekantområdet, I am pleased that we are retaining jobs within the municipality of Kolding. In practical terms, it is a great advantage that NSM is taking over the machining tasks as of October, so that the knowledge we have about the products can be shared as optimally as possible before TRESU Group takes over its new production facility in 2019, says Søren Maarsø.