

## Huttenheim manufacturing site obtains ISO 50001 certification

Benfeld, 1 March 2017

***The Socomec Group's manufacturing site in Huttenheim (Alsace) has obtained ISO 50001 certification for its energy efficiency management system.***

***Objective: to reduce the site's energy consumption and its greenhouse gas emissions.***

Seven years after having obtained ISO 14001 environmental management certification, the Socomec Group's manufacturing site in Huttenheim has just been awarded ISO 50001 certification for its energy efficiency management system.

The certification was obtained with the support of H3C, one of the companies under the E'nergys umbrella, part of the Socomec Group's services business. The certification once again demonstrates Socomec's determination to comply with the environmental commitments of its CSR policy.

ISO 50001, a standard released in June 2011 by the International Organization for Standardization, aims to improve the energy efficiency of businesses while helping to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. According to the International Energy Agency (IEA), the standard could have a 60% impact on worldwide energy demand.

After conducting an initial energy audit, the Huttenheim Factory 3 project team with support from H3C established its energy reduction targets and drafted its metering plan. As Olivier Morlot, Site Manager explains: " *Given all the efforts we are already making to improve our quality and environmental management, it will be relatively easy for us to integrate this new energy management system*".

The new standard's management system will enable the Huttenheim site to immediately make energy savings and reduce operating costs while limiting its greenhouse gas emissions. " *The Huttenheim factory will become a useful showcase of our various energy management solutions*", adds Socomec Group CEO Ivan Steyert. " *The ISO 50001 certification will be gradually rolled out to our other sites.* "

---

### ABOUT SOCOMEC

Founded in 1922, SOCOMEC is an independent, industrial group with a workforce of 3000 people spread over 21 subsidiaries in the world. Our core business – the availability, control and safety of low voltage electrical networks with increased focus on our customers' power performance. In 2016, SOCOMEC posted an estimated turnover of 480 M€.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

SOCOMECE : Alain GAMBIA  
Communications and Sustainable Development Manager  
Tel.: +33 (0)3 88 57 41 38  
Email : [alain.gambia@socomec.com](mailto:alain.gambia@socomec.com)

[www.socomec.com](http://www.socomec.com)

