

VEREINIGUNG ZUR FÖRDERUNG DES INSTITUTS FÜR KUNSTSTOFFVERARBEITUNG

in Industrie und Handwerk an der Rhein.-Westf. Technischen Hochschule Aachen e.V.



Lehrstuhl für
Kunststoffverarbeitung
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Arrangement for the mutual membership

between

ASEPLAS (Asociación Ecuatoriana de Plásticos),
c/o ESPOL, Campus Prosperina, Facultad de Ingeniería en Mecánica Y Ciencias de la Producción ,
Edif. 18B., P.O.Box 09-01-9741, Guayaquil, Ecuador

- hereinafter referred to as the ASEPLAS -

and

the Vereinigung zur Förderung des Instituts für Kunststoffverarbeitung in Industrie und Handwerk an der
Rheinisch-Westfälischen Technischen Hochschule Aachen e.V.,
D- 52056 Aachen, Germany
(IKV Association of Sponsors)

- hereinafter referred to in short as the IKV -

Preamble

ASEPLAS

The mission of Aseplas is to support, develop, and safeguard the activities of the ecuadorian companies dedicated to the processing, comercial intermediation of plastic and rubber products. Defend the rights of its members taking care of the entrepreneurial initiative, protect the environment, respecting the principles and ethical values of the institution

IKV

The "Fördervereinigung" (*Association of Sponsors*) runs a research facility recognised as the "Institut für Kunststoffverarbeitung an der RWTH Aachen (IKV)" (*Institute of Plastics Processing at RWTH Aachen University*). Upon request, the Association of Sponsors has research and development assignments (pilot projects) – **hereinafter referred to in short as R&D Assignments** – carried out in the thermoplastic, thermoset and elastomer sectors. These serve the purpose, at one and the same time, of teaching and of conducting cooperative research with industry. In this way, the Institute is able to ensure that the next generation of scientists receives an education with a close bearing on practice and it can also promote the technology transfer between research, the skilled crafts and industry. In doing this, the IKV works on a not-for-profit basis; it is not permitted to pursue its own economic interests or commercial purposes.

The aim and the conditions of this mutual membership are the following:

§1 The mutual membership is free of charge for both parties.

§2 The responsible contact persons are:

IKV: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr.-Ing. W. Michaeli (Director)
Dr.-Ing. T. Krumpholz (Chief Engineer and Deputy Director)
ASEPLAS: Ing. Francisco Alarcón A. (President)
Hans-Hinrich Schuback (Treasurer)

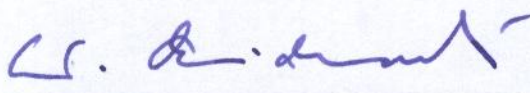
§3 The aims of the cooperation are the following:

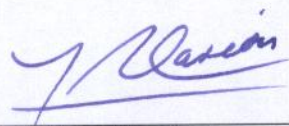
- a) Technology transfer in the field of plastics processing
- b) Mutual support in the field of education and cooperation between plastics industry and university
- c) Students exchanges between RWTH Aachen and Espol (Guayaquil)
- d) Students internships in companies of IKV and ASEPLAS
- e) Professionals interships in companies of IKV and ASEPLAS

§4 The duration of this contract goes for 2 years. After this duration an extension is aimed.

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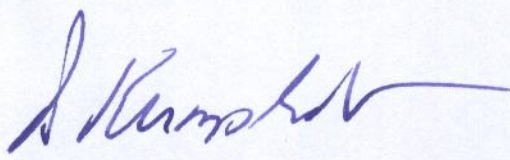
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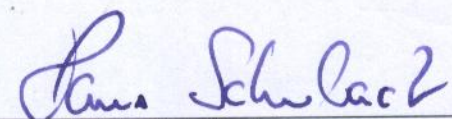

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