

Expanite, the global supplier of stainless steel surface hardening, is strengthening its board of directors.

As a natural part of constantly wanting to strengthen the organisation on all levels, Expanite has recruited Per Rud as new non-executive board member. Per Rud is 51 years old and Senior Vice President at MAN Diesel & Turbo, After Sale Marine & Power Plants and member of the Executive Management at MAN Diesel & Turbo in Germany. In the light of the international expansion phase that Expanite has entered into, Per Rud's long and in-depth experience in global business development, sales and marketing shall contribute to maintain high growth on the current path.

“With Per Rud's arrival to the board of directors at Expanite, we have been able to attract a truly global top-executive who I'm sure will add significantly to shape Expanite's current and future success on a strategic level. Expanite will without doubt benefit from his experience with driving service, supply chain and license businesses around the globe” says Thomas Folmann, chairman of the board of directors at Expanite.

The Expanite technology

With the patented process “SuperExpanite”, it's possible to increase the surface hardness of stainless steels by up to 10 times, while maintaining or even enhancing corrosion resistance. This method is considered unique since it's suitable for austenitic-, ferritic-, martensitic and duplex stainless steels. Parts can be treated with extremely short lead times—a few days—which is previously unseen within surface hardening of stainless steel.

About Expanite

Expanite was founded in 2010 by leading scientists within surface hardening of steel and stainless steel from the Technical University of Denmark (DTU). Expanite has a combined development and production facility near Copenhagen, Denmark, and operates service centers in the US and Germany, and opening in China by the end of 2017. Read more: www.expanite.com

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