

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective immediately, Jim Mash, President of Purafil, Inc. will assume the leadership of Kaydon Custom Filtration in addition to his current Purafil responsibilities. Jim will work closely with you over the next few weeks to better understand the organization, the customers and learn more about your thoughts concerning the business and opportunities to improve it going forward.

Jim will immediately review and assess opportunities, many previously identified jointly between Purafil and Kaydon Custom Filtration, to take advantage of similar global sales channels and markets (PowerGen, Mining, Industrial, Mission Critical/Electronics, Marine) to maximize customer and engineering contacts, broaden product offerings, and provide full service solutions. We will immediately look to maximize growth opportunities through key elements that exist at both companies.

Greater cooperation between these two powerful global brands and strong organizations will accelerate innovation and add new Technologies, new Markets and new Products, while expanding opportunities for our businesses worldwide.

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