



## **M&A Safety Services becomes part of FMTC Safety's Global Operations**

Effective October 1, 2023, M&A Safety Services, LLC, became part of the FMTC Safety family. FMTC Safety is headquartered in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

M&A Safety Services was founded in 2016 by Bryan Aucoin, Travis Martin, and Don Romero and has established itself as a leader for safety and survival training in the Gulf Coast region. M&A is currently headquartered in New Iberia, LA and has full-service training centers located in Youngsville and Gray, Louisiana.

Aucoin, Martin and Romero will remain an integral part of what will now be the USA Operations for FMTC. "By becoming part of the FMTC family, we now have an opportunity to compete on a global scale, and our team will be an important part of the future growth initiatives for the USA Operations." Bryan Aucoin, CEO M&A Safety Services. Aucoin will serve as CEO of the USA Operations for FMTC Safety with Travis Martin acting as COO and Don Romero as CCO. Kaylab Verdin, FMTC's current center manager, will lead the integration of both companies in the USA. To leverage the strength of both brands, both FMTC Safety and M&A Safety Services brand names will be utilized in the market.

FMTC Safety was founded in 2014 and has a market leading position throughout Europe. They have played an important role in the global market since expanding its operations in recent years into France, Belgium, and Saudi Arabia. With the acquisition of M&A, FMTC will now operate 13 training centers/offices as well as a strong digital platform that includes advanced learning solutions for its clients. FMTC operates locations in the Netherlands, France, Belgium, Saudi Arabia, and USA.

Michel Hogervorst, CEO FMTC safety: "Both companies share a common philosophy when it comes to quality and operational excellence, which is highlighted by a 'customer centered' service model, making the acquisition of M&A by FMTC very attractive to both parties." With the addition of the M&A Safety team and its Louisiana based training centers, FMTC intends to continue their growth strategy in the Gulf Coast region while also pursuing other expansion opportunities in the renewable energy, oil & gas and maritime sectors.

Sincerely,

Bryan Aucoin, CEO

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