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## avocado advises Wilson Tool on the acquisition of PASS Stanztechnik

avocado rechtsanwälte advised Wilson Tool, USA on the acquisition of PASS Stanztechnik AG, a global manufacturer of high-quality punching and forming tools based in 95473 Creußen. Wilson Tool Enterprises, Inc., headquartered in White Bear Lake; Minnesota, USA, is the world's largest independent manufacturer of tool systems for punch presses, press brakes, and punch and die components. Both Wilson Tool and PASS Stanztechnik are family-owned companies and will remain so in the future. The aim of this strategic partnership is to further expand the international market coverage and manufacturing capabilities of both companies.

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