



## A NEW CEO APPOINTED AT ORIMA-TUOTE OY

**Mr. Mikko Ahonen** (M.Sc. in Engineering, 44) has been appointed as the new CEO of Orima-Tuote Oy from 18<sup>th</sup> of September 2017. Mikko Ahonen has extensive and versatile expertise and experience in technology and sheet metal industries in both subcontracting and among companies with own product range. He has worked e.g. at Sandvik Tamrock Oy, Antonio Merloni S.P.A. and Stera Technologies Oy in various demanding management positions in business development, production, sales and procurement. The most recently, before joining Orima-Tuote Oy, he worked as a plant director at Treston Oy's Jyväskylä site.

According to **Mr. Juha Weckman**, Chairman of Board, Mikko Ahonen's sales-minded personality and engineering approach combined with well-tested leadership skills were important and convincing during recruiting process. *"He has ability to listen the staff sensitively and accurately, skill and courage to appreciate their expertise and know-how and expertise to lead them on inspiring way. Positive empathy of him is also an essential asset."*

According to Mr. Mikko Ahonen, the role of the CEO of Orima-Tuote Oy is an interesting opportunity to get involved in developing the traditional and top-quality company which is well-known for its roof safety products. *"I believe that my versatile background and expertise together with our skilled staff will add value and bring improvements in both Orima-Tuote Oy's business development and growth, with company's own products and in particular in the field of subcontracting, to reach the significant goals set by shareholders and our customers."*

The board of Orima-Tuote Oy would like to thank former CEO Mr. Ismo Roponen for the past years and wishes success in his new endeavors.

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