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## **New Managing Director for Becker Avionics GmbH Announced**



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Avionics innovator and digital technology provider, Becker Avionics GmbH, is pleased to announce Forrest Colliver has accepted the position of Managing Director. In this role, Mr. Colliver is responsible for leading corporate strategy for evolution and growth of the Becker Avionics Group, and for operational management activities related to the supply of avionics and ground-based solutions supporting next-generation airspace modernization programs. He most recently held the position of Vice President of Business Development for the Becker Avionics Group.

Mr. Colliver joined Becker Avionics from Innovative Solutions and Support, where he led the commercial avionics sales & business development team as Vice President of Business Development. Mr. Colliver previously served as Program Manager for Aviation Research at the MITRE Corporation in Washington D.C, a U.S. government Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC). Mr. Colliver has also led sales, marketing and business development teams at Thales Aerospace in Toulouse, France, at Saab-Sensis, and at EMS Technologies Satcom Division, now part of Honeywell Aerospace.

Mr. Colliver has been honored with the FAA's Award for Achievement in Technical Excellence, and has received the MITRE Corporation's Awards for Industry/Government Team Leadership and for Excellence in User Engagement.

Mr. Colliver holds Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Electrical Engineering from Virginia Polytechnic Institute

and State University as well as an MBA from East Tennessee State University.

Becker Avionics will showcase their innovative products during the MRO Americas show held at the Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center in Dallas, Texas, April 5-7. Becker Avionics invites attendees to visit booth #1007 during the MRO trade show and meet Forrest Colliver.

### ***About Becker Avionics***

For nearly 60 years, Becker Avionics has developed, manufactured and distributed high-tech communication, navigation, surveillance and search and rescue equipment for airborne and ground applications. Becker is a leader in digital avionics technology, setting the standard in customer-centric, state-of-the-art airborne and ground-based solutions.

Becker has proudly provided world class products for general aviation, ATC, law enforcement, military and OEM organizations including Airbus, Airbus Helicopters, Bell Helicopter, BAE Systems (British Aerospace), ATR, CASA, RUAG, Xi'an Aircraft Corporation, Finmeccanica, Pilatus Aircraft, German Air Force, Navy and Army, German Border Patrol, German Police, Austrian Army and Police, Swiss Air Force, Dutch Police, Security Civil, Irish Air Corps, Egyptian Navy, Indonesian Navy, Portuguese Air Force, U.S. Army, U.S. Air Force, U.S. Navy and U.S. Auxiliary Civil Air Patrol.

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