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/EINPresswire.com/ -- Welcome to the third edition of [theFactoryFloor](#) bringing you snippets of news and information from under the benches, the machine shops and the factory floors of manufacturers in New Zealand.

Also coming out of New Zealand is Kiwi company [Page + Co](#) success in developing a ground-breaking new LED lighting system that produces a CRI rating of 95-97 per cent colour accuracy – no other company in New Zealand has achieved this.

Retailers Z Energy, Kathmandu, Icebreaker and Bendon have been quick to adopt Page & Co's unique lighting system.


"LED lighting traditionally has a deficiency in the red spectrum that we have effectively solved by combining existing componentry in a way never seen before," says Bruce Page, owner of Page + Co.

"This has obvious benefits for an environment such as retail stores where colour accuracy is at a premium."

"High accuracy mean skin tones and products look vibrant and ultimately appeal to customers," he says.

The LED lighting system developed by

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NZ Manufacturing News

New Zealand owned and operated roof manufacturing company, Roofing Industries have reintroduced the original metal corrugated sheet profile. Marketed under the Trus Oak brand it is a return to the original, deeper, rounder sinusoidal wave corrugate profile. [Link Here](#)

National Springs & Wire Products principal Graham Berrell, is smiling all the way along his production line these days. A recent addition to his fleet of CNC wire forming machines has seen not only their production capacity increase but their capabilities increase significantly as well. This latest machine has

Workflow Ltd's principal, Nigel Piddington is chuffed and quite rightly so. Back in July 2013 GWA Bathrooms and Kitchens installed the Workflow Trial XL Productivity Appliance onto their second worst performing machine, and they have a few machines, 16 in fact. By September 2013, that's just two months, that



What a team! Recognise them?


Delcam will be hosting a user group this year, focusing on the new **Advanced Manufacturing Solution (AMS)** products. The user group will be hosted in Auckland, at the Waipuna Hotel & Conference centre. This years presentations will be hosted by a specialist engineer being flown over from the Delcam International Support Team - Rob Walker. [Link Here](#)


the capacity to form wire diameters as fine as 0.20mm, meaning that products which had previously been made offshore are now proudly manufactured here in New Zealand by Graham and his team. You can reach Graham at his Manukau plant on +609 277 5982 or by email on info@natsprings.co.nz


machine has become their second best performing machine. In fact, the success of the installation encouraged GWA to purchase two more XL 800s. [Link Here](#)


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Page + Co achieves some of the highest scores in the world on the Colour Rendering Index (CRI). A score of more than 95 means the eye can pick up the slightest variations in colour, details are sharper and the overall visual impression is vivid. While many LED brands in use score about 80 on the CRI scale, the LED system by Page + Co comes with a CRI score of over 95 –97 which puts it practically on a par with sunlight.

Along with this great light accuracy, the Page + Co LED lighting system delivers all the benefits of LED lighting in terms of the energy efficiency and durability. The LEDs used by Page + Co last for 50,000 hours, delivering exceptional cost efficiency.

Page + Co specialise in large scale retail developments and the business was founded in Auckland a staggering five generations ago by the forebears of the current owners. With more than 90 in-house specialists, the company offers integrated services ranging from design to manufacture, project management, fit out, display and ongoing maintenance.

Page + Co's ability to rapidly innovate on behalf of its clients was the impetus to push in to lighting.

"We saw the need to provide our clients with a premium range of LEDs specifically for the retail environment that would ultimately increase their sales through an enhanced customer experience. "

"Our lighting range compliments our integrated services providing a one stop shop for retailers and offering significant savings, and quicker speed to market," he says.

Manufacturing takes place in Page + Co's 2500m2 facility in Henderson, Auckland. This highly efficient operation makes extensive use of computer numerical control (CNC) equipment to help achieve exceptional cost efficiencies. The factory runs 10 hours a day, seven days a week.

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