



Garant Selects Novaflex as Exclusive N.American Agent

Carol Stream, IL - April 22, 2010 Garant Maschinenhandel GmbH, a member of the Windmoeller & Hoelscher Group has contracted Wallace Nard, President of Novaflex, Inc. in Carol Stream, IL, as the exclusive U.S. agent and sales representative for the small bag machine range. This program was taken over from Windmoeller & Hoelscher directly in 1998 and has been constantly modernized and updated since.

Garant Maschinenhandel is a subsidiary of Windmoeller & Hoelscher offering worldwide both new and refurbished machinery for the flexible packaging industry. (www.garant-maschinen.de)

Garant's new bag machines include:

- Servo Drive MATADOR® NG for producing long satchel bags with optional window attachments for bread bags that can also include an inline window perforating unit. Also available is an envelope attachment with grommet holes at the top.
- Servo Drive MATADOR® NSL for small bags with optional twin stream system is being introduced this year.
- Servo Drive TRIUMPH® for producing SOS square bottom bags with optional flat or rope handle attachments.
- LINFLEX®, compact sized Stack type Flexo Press with up to 6 colours both inline with bag machines or offline with field tested high quality printing that W&H is famous for. Quick change plate sleeves along with other optional features for fast job changes are available.
- NEW automatic bag collector and collator also being introduced early this year that collects exact bag counts and delivers in stacks.
- NEW Macfer bag collector that will collect SOS bags with and without handles, inspect the bottom of the bag and handles for quality, discard bad bags, count and through a robot pack the bags in boxes. Labor savings yields fast payback.

Garant can supply refurbished flexible packaging and bag machines in like new condition along with parts and service.

Novaflex, Inc. will be celebrating its 25th anniversary this year. Nard, with over 43 years of experience in the industry, will continue to lead Novaflex with new equipment and services that will benefit its customers. (www.novaflex-inc.com)

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