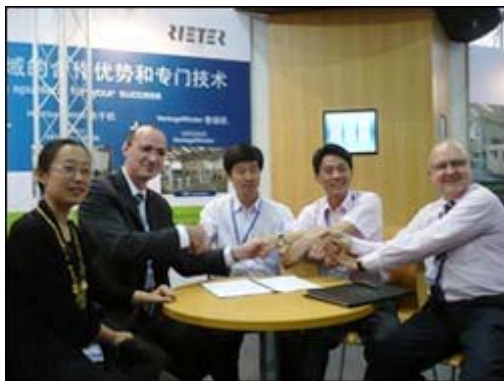


Zhejiang Shaoxing County Zhuangjie Nonwovens invests in Rieter

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Rieter Nonwovens Systems is pleased to announce that they sold a new spunlace line in China to Zhejiang Shaoxing County Zhuangjie Nonwovens Co., Ltd.

This new line was sold in collaboration with NSC nonwoven. With the acquisition of this complete spunlace line, Zhejiang Shaoxing County Zhuangjie Nonwovens Co. will have three spunlace lines in operation from Rieter.

This new line is fitted with NSC cards for the web forming and the innovative JETlace Avantage from Rieter for the hydroentanglement of the web.

This spunlace line could produce 5 000 tons per year with a fabric weight from 30 to 100gsm. This line will be in operation in the third quarter of 2009. Zhejiang Shaoxing County Zhuangjie Nonwovens Co., Ltd is a major player in China for the production of spunlace fabrics dedicated to hygiene market.