

## **VT Garment awarded prestigious Golden Award at Thailand Lean Award 2017**

**Singapore, 10 July 2017** – Lectra, the world leader in integrated technology solutions dedicated to industries using fabrics, leather, technical textiles and composite materials, is pleased to announce that its customer VT Garment, a leading sportswear manufacturer for well-known brands in Europe, the US and Japan was awarded the prestigious Golden Award at the recent Thailand Lean Award. This award reaffirmed VT Garment's commitment to embracing lean management to innovate its production process to remain ahead of the competition.

“We are honoured to have won the Golden Award at this year's Thailand Lean Award,” said Mr Chalumon Lotharukpong, Managing Director, VT Garment. “We would like to thank our partner, Lectra, who provided us with a vision on how we can adopt lean management to optimize our production process which resulted in improvements to our product quality and lower operating costs.”

The annual Thailand Lean Award recognizes companies that have undertaken strategic changes to their businesses to adhere to the lean management principle. Award winners serve as exemplary leaders to others who are looking at adopting lean management for quality, savings and delivery speed.



*Mr David Leprovost, Lectra Channel Sales Director, South and South East Asia congratulating Mr Chalumon, Managing Director, VT Garment*

For more information about Thailand Lean Award, please visit [http://www.tpif.or.th/tpif/lean\\_award/](http://www.tpif.or.th/tpif/lean_award/)

### **About VT Garment**

VT Group aspires to become world class designer and manufacturer of Sportswear and Outerwear. The company has facilities in Thailand and Myanmar, employing around 3,000 team members. Entering our fourth decade, we endeavour to combine the 4 M's of production, Man, Material, Method and Machine effectively and efficiently. We continuously seek to empower our people through training, thereby raising their knowhow, leadership and problem solving skills. Our team seeks to automate as many processes as possible to transform apparel to a high tech industry.

### **About Lectra**

Lectra is the world leader in integrated technology solutions (software, automated cutting equipment, and associated services) specifically designed for industries using fabrics, leather, technical textiles, and composite materials to manufacture their products. It serves major world markets: fashion and apparel, automotive, and furniture as well as a broad array of other industries. Lectra's solutions, specific to each market, enable customers to automate and optimize product design, development, and manufacturing. With more than 1,550 employees, Lectra has developed privileged relationships with prestigious customers in more than 100 countries, contributing to their operational excellence. Lectra registered revenues of \$288 million in 2016 and is listed on Euronext.

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