



## **INCA DIGITAL ANNOUNCES DEPARTURE OF CEO, JOHN MILLS**

**Cambridge, UK, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2018:** Inca Digital has announced today the departure of its CEO, John Mills. John, who has been with the inkjet pioneer for over five years, leaves the business in early October to set up a specialist business consultancy. Inca Digital's Deputy CEO, Akira Hayakawa, has been appointed as the company's new interim CEO. He will be supported by Inca Digital COO, Matthew Negus, and the incumbent Inca Digital management team.

Says Akira Hayakawa, interim CEO, Inca Digital: "John has been instrumental in turning Inca Digital into a world-class and internationally-respected inkjet business over the past five years. We thank John for his outstanding contribution to the business and wish him every success in his future endeavours. We remain fully committed to all our customers right across the graphics, packaging and industrial markets as we prepare the company for the next phase in its growth."

Says John Mills: "My plan was always to lead Inca Digital for a period of five years, with a remit to turn the business into a leading digital player in the graphics market, as well as drive product innovation to put us in a commanding position to exploit the opportunities in a range of new sectors including the packaging and industrial markets."

"Led by the success of the Onset X series, we've grown to become one of the dominant players in the digital graphics market. With the launch of the Onset M last year and our single pass machines currently in development, Inca is on course to deliver the next generation of transformational inkjet technologies. I believe I am leaving Inca Digital on a firm footing to take on the challenges of the future and I'm very proud of what we have achieved as a business during my time here."

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**About Inca Digital Printers**

Inca Digital Printers, part of the SCREEN Graphic Solutions Group, is one of the world's leading pioneers and manufacturers of flatbed inkjet printing technology. The Eagle and Columbia printers set the early standards in UV inkjet flatbed printing. Inca's facility in Cambridge, UK, incorporates R&D, customer support, machine assembly and commissioning, a dedicated training facility and a clean room for printhead assembly and refurbishment. With approximately 25% of staff involved in R&D, a significant investment here helps the company maintain its position at the forefront of machine productivity, innovation, quality and reliability. For more information please visit [www.incadigital.com](http://www.incadigital.com)

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