

Ryan Herco Flow Solutions Announces Acquisition of GFI Stainless.

Burbank, CA – Ryan Herco Flow Solutions, the leading specialty distributor of flow solutions for mission critical fluids, announced today that it has completed the acquisition of GFI Stainless, headquartered in Modesto, California.

Chuck Moyer, Chief Executive Officer of Ryan Herco, stated, “The combination of GFI Stainless and Ryan Herco Flow Solutions represents a major product line expansion for both companies in California, bringing a greatly expanded value proposition to both customers and suppliers.” Moyer added, “The combined entity in California will ultimately provide broad spectrum technical flow solutions – both plastic and stainless – through seven stocking branches and 20 technical field sales representatives.

Gorden Fluker, President of GFI Stainless, wrote, “GFI Stainless was a dream that became a reality for over 34 years. Knowledge of the product and a focus on building relationships with both suppliers and customers while providing superior customer service are all hallmarks of GFI. But our greatest company asset is our people. It’s these people, our GFI family, that share our vision of growth and have been key in the success of our company. Through the years, GFI has always looked for opportunities to grow and, today, that next step for GFI Stainless is to move forward under the reins of Ryan Herco. Thank you to Ryan Herco for recognizing the potential of GFI Stainless. Together we will be the vision of the new world of corrosion resistant fluid handling products.”

About Ryan Herco Flow Solutions

Ryan Herco Flow Solutions (Burbank, CA) is the leading North American distributor of high purity and corrosion resistant fluid handling Systems and high value filtration products.

Ryan Herco Flow Solutions augments its products with world-class technical expertise and application support providing a wide array of products and services ranging from equipment rental to custom fabrication.

Founded in 1948, Ryan Herco Flow Solutions operates from over 30 locations worldwide serving the Aquatics, General Industrial, Water and Waste Water, Chemical Processing, Semiconductor, Life Sciences and Food & Beverage market segments. For more information, please visit www.rhfs.com.

About GFI Stainless

GFI Stainless is a premier distributor of high quality stainless steel and special alloy fluid handling products. GFI Stainless has branches offices in Modesto and Corona, California.