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## **Reinhausen to Expand Production Facility in Gibson County**

- *German manufacturer to create **nearly 100 jobs** in Humboldt*
- *Project represents nearly **\$7 million** in capital investment*

**NASHVILLE, Tenn.** – Tennessee Gov. Bill Lee, Deputy Gov. and Department of Economic and Community Development Commissioner Stuart C. McWhorter and Reinhausen Inc. officials announced today the company is expanding operations at its production facility in Gibson County.

Reinhausen will create 90 jobs and invest \$6.7 million in Humboldt, Tennessee, as part of the project, which will support the company's accelerated customer demand for advanced transformer production, voltage regulation and grid-automation technologies.

Founded in Germany in 1868, Reinhausen first expanded to the U.S. in 1987 when it established operations in Alamo, Tennessee. A few years later, the company relocated its U.S. hub to Humboldt, where it has remained ever since. Today, the company operates on six continents across the globe and has approximately 5,000 employees.

Germany is one of Tennessee's top partners for foreign direct investment (FDI). Across the Volunteer State, there are more than 115 German companies accounting for nearly 23,000 jobs and \$7 billion in capital investment.

### **QUOTES**

"What happens in rural Tennessee matters to all Tennesseans, and we are proud to take part in announcing this significant investment in our state. This expansion will create greater opportunity for families across Gibson County, and I thank Reinhausen for its continued commitment to West Tennessee." – **Gov. Bill Lee**

"Tennessee, especially West Tennessee, continues to lead in energy infrastructure manufacturing. With companies like Hitachi, Hyosung HICO and Reinhausen, we are helping shape America's energy future. This success comes not only from strong companies but also from the communities that embrace them. Reinhausen has been part of this state for decades, and their connection and continued investment is driving lasting growth." – **Deputy Gov. and TNECD Commissioner Stuart C. McWhorter**

"Tennessee has been the heart of Reinhausen's U.S. operations since 1987, and Humboldt has been our home for nearly that entire time. This new investment is about the future —

strengthening America's grid, supporting our customers' growth and reinforcing Reinhausen's position as a global leader in voltage regulation and grid technology, all from right here in West Tennessee.” – **Bob Vary, CEO, Reinhausen Inc.**

“I want to congratulate Reinhausen on this exciting expansion news and thank the company’s leadership team for its continued commitment to growing the Humboldt facility. Reinhausen is a world leader in manufacturing critical energy infrastructure components that help transport electrical energy effectively and safely across the grid. We are proud that Reinhausen calls Humboldt and Gibson County their home, and their commitment and desire to continue to invest here says a great deal about our people and the positive economic environment we’ve created here for business.” – **Gibson County Mayor Nelson Cunningham**

“I am excited for the City of Humboldt and Gibson County as Reinhausen continues to invest and expand their Humboldt presence and create new jobs. Reinhausen is a world leader in the energy infrastructure field, and we are proud to be the home of such a wonderful company, which not only serves the world’s energy needs but also makes significant contributions to the local economy and the economic vitality of our great city. I want to thank TNECD and the Humboldt Industrial Development Board for their support of this project.” – **Humboldt Mayor Arthur L. Boykin**

“Reinhausen is a global leader in power transformer technology and electrical grid solutions, and their decision to expand in Gibson County speaks volumes about the strength of our local workforce and business climate. This \$6.7 million investment and the creation of 90 new jobs will have a lasting impact on Humboldt and the surrounding region. I am proud to see a company of Reinhausen’s caliber continue to grow right here in West Tennessee.” – **Sen. John Stevens (R-Huntingdon)**

“Reinhausen has been an important member of Humboldt's local economy for several decades, and I'm excited they have chosen to invest further in Gibson County. This announcement will create quality opportunities for local families and help make our region a center of electrical innovation. I congratulate the company's employees on their remarkable success and thank the leaders who made this expansion possible.” – **Rep. Chris Hurt (R-Halls)**

### **About the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development (TNECD)**

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