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A more distinct environmental focus

The market and our primary target group – industrial kitchens and the food industry – are increasingly requesting reduced consumption of resources, such as electricity, water, detergents, compressed air, etc. Going forward, this is an issue everyone at Steeltech will place greater emphasis on. Our ambition, among other things, is to acquire ISO 14000 certification, and at the moment we are implementing a series of measures in preparation for this.

"A growing number of customers are putting increased emphasis on the total life cycle of a product rather than merely looking at the initial base price. This is something that encourages a clearer environmental way of thinking and technological development in general," Björn Sjölin explains.

And this is the very reason why we at Steeltech have intensified our environmental efforts.

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Here are a few examples of recent undertakings:

- Investment in a new LPG powered car for the Service department.
- Personnel training in smarter and more effective driving techniques.
- The launch of an organised environmental awareness concept in our business management system with respect to such items as hazardous goods in order to create better control in the workshop.
- Efforts to improve the work environment in Welding and Foaming through investments in process filters and exhaust systems.
- Implementation of numerous internal measures to save energy, heat and water.
- Heat recovery from the laser welding system.

- Appointing a new environmental commission.
- Installation of an oil and rainwater separation facility in the parking lot.
- A complete revision of lab routines and test procedures for reduced environmental impact.
- Introduction of Kranmärkt (Eco-labelled) drinking water, i.e. drinking water right from the tap instead of bottled water. In this way, we will contribute to reduced carbon dioxide emissions and unnecessary waste.

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