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When you have critical decisions to make, DVI Aviation can help you gain the focus you need in all facets of the aviation industry. Our staff is a world-class team of aviation experts that brings practical and easily understood solutions to seemingly complex technical issues. Our goal is to improve aviation safety and offer premier technical consulting services.



Mr. Warren Wisnewski, Asia Pacific Region - Prior to this position at DVI Aviation, Warren worked for 31 years at Eastman Kodak Company and held a variety of senior leadership positions for Eastman Kodak Company (NYSE: KODK) in Asia, including Vice President and General Manager of the company's Asia Pacific businesses. During his 17 plus year tenure at Kodak Asia he provided leadership during periods of rapid growth as well as dramatic rationalization and restructuring. Warren's responsibilities included regional manufacturing, operations, marketing and sales for Kodak's consumer, professional, graphics and health imaging businesses. His very first China work assignment was based in Shanghai and came in 1982, with responsibility for the establishment of Kodak's first manufacturing operation in China.

Warren has significant experience with new factory start ups, M&A activities and large-scale organizational rationalization and restructuring. He established 4 new legal entities across China, which included both manufacturing and product recycling operations. He was instrumental in the establishment of a factory to produce digital radiography equipment, a research and development center for health imaging products and an international trading company. The manufacturing organization that was developed and led by Warren included 8 factories, employed more than 3000 and had a total manufactured product bill in excess of US\$800 million. He has very effectively utilized M&A activity as a profitable means of rationalizing and restructuring operations, including 6 transactions for manufacturing operations in China, Taiwan, Hong Kong and India. Warren also led a massive restructuring effort for Kodak's operating companies across the entire Asia Pacific region, reducing overall regional operating costs by more than 50% and dramatically changing the go-to-market model for the company in multiple countries.

A strong proponent of Lean/6 Sigma methodologies, Warren championed the company's investment in and application of its "Kodak Operating System" across its regional manufacturing organization. His organization was consistently recognized for dramatic productivity and quality improvements achieved, winning more company-wide awards than any other unit.

A resident of Shanghai for more than 17 years, Warren was recognized by the Shanghai Municipal Government with both their Silver and Golden Magnolia Awards, was a long-serving Vice Chairman of the Shanghai Association of Enterprises with Foreign Investment, and also was elected to the Board of Governors of The American Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai.

Warren has a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of the US.