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Eric Roszman, VP of Research and Development for Akebono joins GBSC.

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The Global Brake Safety Council is pleased to announce our first new council member for 2017, Mr. Eric Roszman of Akebono Brake Industry.

Eric, currently Akebono's Vice President of Research & Development North America has spent his career with Akebono focused in the ongoing development and delivery of market-leading technologies for the North American O.E. and Aftermarket brake markets, and is excited to bring his skills and perspectives to the GBSC mission of establishing improved product safety through improved standards.

"I believe that that our industry would be best served by establishing foundational performance criteria for our products," stated Eric. "Essentially, we need a minimum bar for performance and durability that all US sold products have to meet."

Scott Lambert, current chairman of the GBSC, commented on Eric's arrival, stating that; "Eric's history in brake system development brings us great insight on how the functional performance for each of the system's individual components impacts overall brake performance. His input will help the GBSC define the standards these components need to have in place, to ensure the overall mechanical safety of brake systems is maintained during a vehicle's complete on-road life."

About the GBSC

The Global Brake Safety Council (GBSC) was established with the intent to uphold the highest standards in brake safety and is dedicated to responsible manufacturing in the automotive industry. Utilizing over 150 years of combined industry experience, this group of technical experts is composed of: professional engineers, OE design engineers, product development, and R&D professionals. This team is committed to raising awareness of issues that are critical to public safety through education.

To learn more about the GBSC please link through to our website at: www.gbscouncil.com