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# News Release

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## **CURNUTTE APPOINTED PRODUCT MANAGER**

**LEXINGTON, Ky. (Feb. 2004)** — Bill Stramer, director, crane marketing and sales, announced the promotion of Rick Curnutte to the position of product manager for telescopic cranes.

Most recently, Curnutte was Marketing Specialist, where he performed market analyst duties for the entire lattice and telescopic crane group in addition to coordinating the Link-Belt / Tadano supply agreement.

Curnutte began his career with Link-Belt Cranes 17 years ago as a Design Engineer and has worked on numerous successful telescopic crane product introductions. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Kentucky.



Link-Belt Construction Equipment Company, with headquarters in Lexington, Kentucky, is a leader in the design and manufacture of telescopic boom and lattice boom cranes for the construction industry worldwide.

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