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NEW FIT OUT CHIEF FOR WARRINGTON-BASED MORRIS AND SPOTTISWOOD

Warrington-based fit out and maintenance services provider Morris and Spottiswood has appointed Chris Saxton as managing director of its national fit out division. Based at the company's regional head office in Warrington, Chris, who joins the main board of Morris and Spottiswood, will have overall responsibility for the company's fit out and refurbishment operations across the North West, the Midlands and Scotland.

Chris joins Morris and Spottiswood from construction company Rok where he was executive director of its northern division. Prior to this he held senior management posts at construction companies Bluestone, Interior Services Group and Jarvis.

Morris and Spottiswood, which has offices in Warrington, Glasgow and Edinburgh, is a leading UK fit out and refurbishment provider to the retail, banking, commercial, education, healthcare and social housing sectors. The company is also Britain's third largest shopfitter, with key clients such as M&S, RBS, Tesco and ASDA.

"I'm delighted to be joining Morris and Spottiswood at such an exciting time for the company," says Chris Saxton. "Our fit out operations have grown significantly over the past three years. My task is now to help the company capitalise on this success by making the most of the opportunities we have created with our existing clients and assist the Board in strengthening Morris and Spottiswood's presence in important developing markets which include social housing, education, commercial offices, hotels and leisure."

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Photo: Chris Saxton, new managing director of fit out at Morris and Spottiswood.

Editor's note: *Morris and Spottiswood is a leading provider of fit out and maintenance services to the retail, banking, commercial, education and healthcare sectors across North West England and Scotland. Established in 1925, the company is Britain's third largest shopfitter. Morris and Spottiswood is also a leading regional provider of new build, fit out, refurbishment and maintenance services to the social housing sector. The company has a growing portfolio of social housing projects arising from partnering agreements with local housing organisations throughout Scotland.*

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