## In brief ...

➤ KMF (Precision Sheet Metal) Ltd, Newcastle under Lyme (www.kmf.co.uk), has strengthened the business development team at its Slovakian manufacturing facility (opened in 2011 to support a growing list of customers in the heart of Europe); Pavel Vajda's experience covers sales, customer service, warehousing and logistics — and key account management. Managing director Gareth Higgins says: "We have been very encouraged by the business that is being won by our Slovakian facility, particularly from new customers in eastern and central Europe. The time is now right to push on with this growth, and Pavel will provide the local knowledge that we need."