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## Willowood USA hires Product Development and Technical Service Manager

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**May 2, 2016. Roseburg, OR** – Willowood USA announced today that they have hired a Product Development Manager to further expand their product portfolio and market expansion.

**Dr. Shiv Sharma** has joined the Willowood USA team effective May 1, 2016. Shiv comes with 25 plus years of research and development experience and most recently served in a similar role at the FMC Corporation where he was responsible for the development and launch of several herbicide products. A graduate of the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow, U.K., Shiv served in numerous Research Associate roles in India and at the University of Florida before joining FMC in 2008.

"We are excited to have a tenured professional like Shiv to join our team," states **Joe Middione** – Willowood USA Chief Operating Officer. "Shiv's experience in product development, herbicide discovery and his vast knowledge of the regulatory process will help accelerate our rapid product expansion." Middione went on to say "We look forward to introducing Shiv to our USA team and to the many formulating, tolling, regulatory and other business partners associated with Willowood USA."

Dr. Sharma will report to our CEO - Brian Heinze and will operate out of his new office in Spring, TX.

## About Willowood USA

Willowood USA continues to set the pace as one of the fastest growing generic crop protection companies in US agriculture. Willowood USA is a U.S. based manufacturer of post patent crop protection herbicides, fungicides, insecticides and plant growth regulators for the agriculture, turf and vegetation management industries. For more information on the complete line of Willowood USA products, go to <a href="https://www.willowoodusa.com">www.willowoodusa.com</a>.