

[26262001]

Newport Electronics Inc. named a new slate of officers, a move that follows replacement of the company's five incumbent directors last week.

[26262002]

Milton B. Hollander, 60 years old, was named chief executive officer, succeeding Barrett B. Weekes.

[26262004]

Mr. Hollander was named chairman last week, succeeding Mr. Weekes, who was among the ousted directors.

[26262005]

The company has declined requests to discuss the changes, but Mr. Weekes has said that Mr. Hollander wanted to have his own team.

[26262006]

Scott Wakeman was named president and chief operating officer of U.S. operations, titles that had been held by Mr. Weekes.

[26262008]

A company spokesman did n't know Mr. Wakeman's age.

[26262009]

James R. Lees, 51, vice president of Newport's European operations, was named executive vice president and chief operating officer of Newport's European operations.

[26262010]

Arthur B. Crozier, 34, an attorney, was named secretary, succeeding John Virtue, who was another of the ousted directors.