Dr. Günther Weymans will become Head of the LANXESS’ business unit Butyl Rubber effective July 1, 2013.

Weymans was born in Sevelen, Germany, on September 25, 1957. He studied physics at the University of Bonn, where he obtained a Ph.D. in theoretical physics. Dr. Günther Weymans began his career at Bayer AG in 1985. After five years as a project manager in polymers research, he served in various management positions in Leverkusen; Baytown, Texas; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Important functions in his professional career included Head of Global Process Technology, Chief Engineer in the Polyurethanes Business Group in Texas, Head of the Global Technology department in the Polyurethanes Business Group and Head of Bayer’s TDI business. From early 2004 until the end of 2012 he was Global Head of the Technical Rubber Products business unit at LANXESS.

Since May 2011, furthermore, he has served as Managing Director of LANXESS Elastomers BV in Geleen, the Netherlands, and Country Head for the Netherlands.

On January 1, 2013 he was appointed Head of the business unit Keltan Elastomers, which originated in the splitting of the business unit Technical Rubber Products into two separate business units.

Weymans is married and has three children.

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