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In order to complement short working, the Tornos group will reduce its headcount by about 30 positions during the next three months. This will affect mainly employment in Moutier and employees nearing retirement. More detailed information on the various corrective measures applied as a result of the present recession will be given at the annual press conference of the group to be held on the 16th of March in Zurich.

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