An UNTHA CR2000 shredder is set to drive forward Geofuturo's Energy-from-Waste (EfW) operations in Columbia – converting the country's waste into Refuse Derived Fuel (RDF) for the cement industry.

The equipment – which represents a shredding first for the waste management organisation – will be processing approximately 2,200 tonnes of materials per month at the firm's new EfW plant, Geoparque, in Cartagena.

The plant will be inaugurated on Tuesday 23 August, and approximately 100 industry experts and officials will be attending – including the Columbian environment authorities, Austrian Chamber of Commerce, cement producers, and waste management companies.

The shredder will process a variety of materials, including waste wood, textiles, plastics, and leather, which would have previously been sent to landfill.

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