

MCW Group of Companies completes acquisition of Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd



TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA April 25th, 2011 – The MCW Group of Companies announced today that Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd., of Truro Nova Scotia has joined MCW Consultants.

"We are very pleased to welcome an operation that so closely mirrors our strategic approach and our culture," said David C. Bellamy and Michael C Gillis, Partners of the MCW Group of Companies. "We have not only added talented employees and excellent customers, but we have expanded our presence in key markets in eastern Canada that strengthen our geographic diversity and will allow growth in our multiple service offerings in the building services consulting and energy management fields. With this acquisition MCW grows to over 340 men and women delivering our brand of services right across Canada".

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This new addition will become an integral part of MCW Maricor's Nova Scotia operations and will operate as a division of MCW Consultants Ltd. under the banner MCW Thompson for the immediate future

About MCW Maricor



Since 2007, MCW Maricor has continued to strengthen its operations in Eastern Canada. First with the addition of Maritech Commissioning Works Ltd, a full service commissioning entity providing commissioning services not only in the Maritimes but across all of MCW's National offices, and now with the addition of Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd. This addition improves the MCW Maricor team in Atlantic Canada to a point such that there are offices located in Moncton; and Saint John New Brunswick as well as in Halifax and Truro, Nova Scotia. MCW Maricor, with roots back to 1956, will continue to be the largest mechanical and electrical consulting and energy engineering firm in Atlantic Canada, with 60 employees, including 42 in the Moncton office. "MCW is very pleased to have the continuity provided by Bruce Thompson, P Eng, the current President of the Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd., to lead and grow these operations which serve valued customers in the institutional, commercial, retail, and health care, sectors," Gillis said. "The talented people of Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd will strengthen MCW's ability to execute its provision of services in all of the locations it operates in across Canada."



For his part Thompson, a Truro resident, sees this as a huge opportunity for the employees and clients of Thompson Engineering Consultants Ltd. "To be associated with a large national organization to go along with our regional strength is a great benefit," he said. "The additional expertise we will be able to bring to our clients and our staff will make MCW Maricor an even more valuable design partner of choice in Atlantic Canada."

MCW Maricor is heavily involved in mechanical, electrical and energy consulting in Atlantic Canada working with clients in various sectors Their client list includes organizations such as Efficiency New Brunswick, Enbridge Gas, University of New Brunswick, Halifax Regional School Board and Nova Scotia Agricultural College, Department of National Defense and Dalhousie University to name a few.

About MCW

Since 1964, the MCW Group has built a solid reputation for the delivery of Professional Consulting Engineering Services, Energy Management Services, and Engineering Development Services. The systems designed by the MCW Group of Companies are built to deliver energy in the form of lighting, heating and cooling, as well as information in the form of voice and data.

By the very nature of the solutions provided, the MCW Group of Companies help to create the environments required for clients to live, work, educate, play and heal.

Our diverse array of clients have always brought to us their toughest challenges and most exciting dreams, knowing that we will provide our designs and services to address their needs in a manner which will allow them to succeed and prosper. This success and prosperity is enhanced through the delivery of our services in a manner consistent with MCW's philosophy of sustainability, and our client's desire to reduce the collective "Environmental Footprint".

The MCW Group of Companies will now have offices from coast to coast in Vancouver BC, Kelowna BC, Trail BC, Winnipeg MB, Dauphin MB, Toronto ON, Ottawa ON, Moncton NB, Saint John NB, Halifax NS and Truro, Nova Scotia.

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