

Organizational Announcement



It is with pleasure that I announce the promotion of Brian C. Ragone to the position of National Sales Director for the North American Mechanical Market effective 26 June 2006. In his new role Brian will report to Carmine Schiavone, VP Business Development, and be responsible for directing and managing all field sales personnel in the mechanical market. In addition, he will be assisting in the development of product line and business strategies to increase our revenues and market share. The mechanical market represents a significant global growth opportunity for the Fire Protection & Mechanical business unit, and I am confident that Brian's enthusiasm and leadership will contribute greatly to our global initiatives in that market.

In his new assignment Brian will be based in Lansdale PA. He and his family will be relocating from their present home in Crittenden, KY to the Lansdale area in the very near future.

Prior to joining Tyco Fire & Building Products in 2004, Brian's work experience included progressive positions in the mechanical market with Ferguson Enterprises, Victaulic Company of America, and Star Pipe Products. His 12 years of experience in sales and sales management are reflected in his personal performance and that of his direct reports.

Please join me in congratulating Brian on his promotion.

Rgi Brinkman Jr.