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## **NEW BRUNSWICK ENTREPRENEUR EXPANDS BUSINESS INTERESTS.**

New Brunswick entrepreneur Normand Caissie of Richibucto has acquired Don Park Residential Manufacturing of Toronto. Don Park is a producer of quality heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) galvanized duct, pipe and fitting products and has been in business for over 40 years.

This acquisition, effective July 30, is of the Don Park manufacturing facility currently located at 842 York Mills Road, Toronto. The deal does not include the firm's commercial manufacturing (ICI) and fire divisions.

The company will operate under the name of Don Park Manufacturing Inc. and will remain committed to providing quality and competitive product offerings in order to maintain and grow its customer base.

Mr. Caissie is a well-known New Brunswick businessman in the HVAC industry. He was named Ernest & Young's 2002 Entrepreneur of the Year (Manufacturing), Conseil Economique du Nouveau-Brunswick's Entrepreneur of the Year (1987 and 1991), Quality Plus Entrepreneur Award recipient (1992) from the Atlantic Canada Entrepreneurship Awards, Université de Moncton's Alumnus of the Year (2000), Ernst & Young's 2001 Entrepreneur of the Year (Business to Business), and Canadian Hardware, Houseware, Manufacturers Association Hall of Fame Inductee (2010).

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