



Russ Morgan, Vice-President, Sales & Marketing – IPEX Inc. Elected 63rd Chairman of the Board

At the 78th Annual General Meeting of the Canadian Institute of Plumbing & Heating held in St. John's, NL, **Russ Morgan** (Vice-President, Sales & Marketing – Canada, IPEX Inc.) was elected as the 2010/2011 Chairman of the Board.

Following a diploma in Marketing from Conestoga College in 1982, Russ attended the University of Waterloo, and graduated with a B.A. in Economics in 1984. His first position was a research contract with PVC resin producer, B.F. Goodrich. In 1985 he was hired by Scepter Manufacturing, which in 1992 merged with Canron to form IPEX.

Spanning 24 years, his career at IPEX has included responsibilities in new product development and management, a position as Ontario Regional Sales Manager responsible for plumbing and industrial products, and currently as Vice-President, Sales & Marketing – Canada.

Russ was elected to the CIPH Board in 2006, serves on the Membership Committee and Chaired the successful CIPH Habitat for Humanity fundraising and Gala event in 2008, and was Co-Chairman of the successful ABC 2010: “Harbouring Opportunities in a Sea of Change” conference.

Elected for a three-year term: **Paul McDonald** (Director, Sales and Marketing [Canada]: Bradford White Canada) and **Frédéric Perrin** (Directeur national des ventes: Usines Giant Factories Inc.).

The following appointments were announced: Wholesalers' Division Chair: **Robert Whitty** (President & CEO: Bartle & Gibson Co. Ltd.), Manufacturers' Division Chair: **Paul McDonald** (Director, Sales and Marketing [Canada]: Bradford White Canada).

Honourary Vice-Chairmen of the Executive Committee: **Cliff Sarjeant** (President & General Manager: NCI Marketing Inc.), **Kenneth Webster** (Director, Sales & Marketing: Viessmann Manufacturing Company Inc.) and **Case de Jong** (President, Franke Business Unit North America: Franke Kindred Canada Limited.).

New Officers: **Kevin Fullan** (Vice President & General Manager: Mueller Flow Control), as 1st Vice-Chair, **John Hammill** (Vice-President: Wholesale Sales, Moen Inc.) as 2nd Vice-Chair, and **Martin Deschênes** (Président & chef de la direction: Groupe Deschênes), as Immediate Past Chair/Treasurer.

The following retiring directors were recognized for their outstanding and significant contributions to CIPH: **Barry Raycroft** (Vice President & General Manager: Bardon Supplies), **Harry Kandilas** (GM/Business Leader: American Standard Brands) and **Cliff Sarjeant** (President & General Manager: NCI Marketing Inc.).

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