

**Media Release**

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**Graybar Energy Ltd. Opens as Distributor to the Renewable Energy Market**

**Kitchener, ON** – Graybar Canada has been serving the renewable energy market across the country and as it continues to grow, they have created a new company, Graybar Energy Ltd., to comply with domestic content for the Feed In Tariff (FIT) program in Ontario.

Graybar Energy, a wholly owned subsidiary of Graybar Canada, will continue to be based out of Kitchener, Ontario with a national focus on the renewable energy market. All customer inquiries, quotations and orders related to renewable energy will now go through Graybar Energy Ltd. in order to comply with current government regulations.

Leveraging Graybar Canada's vast network of branches and warehousing, Graybar Energy will be a key supplier to projects all across the country. Graybar Energy has proven experience supplying components to jobs varying in size from the microFIT level all the way through utility scale renewable energy farms.

Graybar Energy customers can expect the same high quality service and best-in-class products that you have come to expect from Graybar Canada. For more information about Graybar Energy, contact Rob Horst, National Market Manager – Renewable Energy at 519-569-4204 or 800-363-4849 or [rhurst@graybarenergy.com](mailto:rhurst@graybarenergy.com).

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**About Graybar Canada**

Graybar Canada, an employee-owned company, is a wholesale distributor for thousands of items from leading manufacturers of electrical and communications & data products. Headquartered in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Graybar Canada operates over 30 locations across the country and is organized into specialized product divisions: Electrical Supply, Industrial/Automation, Lighting, Comm/Data, Utility, Security, and Oil & Gas. Graybar Canada's trained specialists and top-quality products enable them to provide customers with a complete solution.

Committed to quality through its customer service, products, supply and distribution, and performance, Graybar Canada is a subsidiary of Graybar Electric Company Inc., a Fortune 500 company, and one of the oldest and largest North American electrical distributors.

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