

Media Release

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Graybar Canada Sponsors NETcomm Atlantic 2009 Conference

Halifax - Graybar Canada is proud to be a Silver Sponsor of the NETcomm Atlantic 2009 Conference in Halifax, September 15-16, at The Lord Nelson Hotel. NETcomm combines a trade show-like forum with a series of educational seminars and technical workshops related to the design, installation and maintenance of communications infrastructure and related components.

As a communications and data products wholesaler, Graybar Canada is a perfect fit as a Silver Sponsor for the event. The conference caters to Graybar Canada customers including contractors, installers, integrators, designers, engineers, communications specialists, and information systems specialists.

“After attending the conference last year, we knew we wanted to participate in the event on a larger scale for 2009,” said Faye Coady, VP - Comm/Data & Wire & Cable Business at Graybar Canada, “It is a worthwhile event that enables us to connect with our customers and learn more about where the industry is going.”

Graybar Canada will have an exhibit on-site, and encourage customers to attend the conference and visit the booth, as it will provide them with an opportunity to keep up-to-date on industry trends, learn relevant information, and network with industry peers.

“NETcomm is very pleased to welcome Graybar Canada as a Silver Sponsor of the Atlantic conference, in the city in which it was launched last year,” said John MacPherson, Conference Director. “The generous support of leading organizations like Graybar Canada enables us to deliver a high-quality yet cost-effective event to communications professionals.”

This is the first year that Graybar Canada has sponsored NETcomm Atlantic. For more information on Graybar Canada, visit www.graybarcanada.com.

To learn more about the NETcomm Atlantic 2009 Conference, visit www.netcommonline.ca.

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About Graybar Canada

Graybar Canada, an employee-owned company, is a wholesale distributor for hundreds of thousands of items from leading manufacturers of electrical and communications and data products and related services. Headquartered in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Graybar Canada operates over 30 locations across the country and is organized into seven 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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