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TIM-BR MART GROUP STRENGTHENS COMMERCIAL ARM, WELCOMES NEW MEMBER, CLARE INTERIOR SUPPLIES

VAUGHAN, ON, October 14, 2014 – TIM-BR MART Group (TIM-BR MART), Canada's leading buying group for Independents, strengthens their commercial arm with new member, Clare Interior Supplies Ltd. (Clare Interior Supplies). Clare Interior Supplies is a welcome addition to the Group's commercial division and an integral part of the division's growth plans.

"Joining the TIM-BR MART Group was an easy decision; we wanted to partner with a national buying group that we knew we could trust and that had a solid reputation in the commercial GSD industry," says Jean Daly, President of Clare Building Supplies. "We look forward to working with Mark and his team and growing our business with a group that truly understands our needs and offers the products and pricing we need to be competitive."

"Throughout the twenty-six years they've been in business, Clare [Interior Supplies] has established a strong reputation in the commercial market and are well respected in the industry," says Mark Finucane, Vice President of TIM-BR MART's Commercial Division. "We're excited to have them on board; they're an ideal commercial member with plans to grow and will benefit greatly from the programs we have with our gypsum and insulation suppliers."

Clare Interior Supplies joined the TIM-BR MART Group on October 1, 2014. They are based out of Hamilton, Ontario and specialize in the sale of drywall and insulation.

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About Clare Interior Supplies Ltd.

A family-owned and operated business, Clare Interior Supplies has been serving commercial and residential contractors for over 26 years in Hamilton and the surrounding area. Stocking the best wall and ceiling products in the drywall industry and offering a full fleet of delivery vehicles and services, they ensure projects are completed with the high standard of quality their customers expect. For more information, visit www.clareinteriors.com.

About TIM-BR MART Group

In operation since 1967, TIM-BR MART Group is Canada's leading buying group for Independents. It is a member-owned organization serving building material and hardware retailers, commercial dealers and manufacturers. TIM-BR MART Group exists to help Canadian entrepreneurs involved in the sale of building materials and hardware be more profitable. For more information, visit www.timbermart.ca.

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