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TRUNORTH DECK ACQUIRES CLUBHOUSE DECKING EQUIPMENT, INVENTORY AND TRADEMARKS FROM  
TAPCO, A PART OF BORAL NORTH AMERICA

January 17, 2018, Brantford, Ontario - The management team at TruNorth Deck, is pleased to announce that it has acquired the Clubhouse Decking business from TAPCO International, an affiliate of Boral Industries Group.

With this acquisition, TruNorth Deck has positioned itself as a leader in the wood free, low maintenance deck, dock and construction board business.

TruNorth Deck has finished installation of the infrastructure to hook up the Clubhouse Decking equipment at its 17acre decking production and distribution campus that it shares with its recycling business EPL Plastics. After a short production run to cover immediate requirements, the Clubhouse Decking equipment will be moved to the TruNorth facility and will be running in early February 2018.

“We are committed to bringing our manufacturing expertise to this already successful product portfolio and supply the best quality, best value, low maintenance decking available” said TruNorth Composites President and CEO, Ed Hensen. He adds, “We are excited to add this premium offering to bolster our already great value product line and provide greater selection with a focused approach to the deck industry for the Clubhouse Decking customers”.

Jon Hensen, VP of Sales and Marketing adds, “This continued investment illustrates our strong commitment to the decking and building products industry. It positions TruNorth Composites for long term success, with industry leading quality, performance, Research and development and value from our North American made and certified products”.

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**About TruNorth Deck**

TruNorth Deck is a leading extrusion manufacturer serving lumber retailers, contractors, builders and distributors throughout North America. It's trademarked brands include TruNorth Deck, Slide & Go Fastening, TruNorth Dock and TruNorth Build. These durable and low maintenance products are certified in both the United States and Canada and are available in a complete range of sizes and over 14 trending colours. The certification is backed by their industry leading warranty, made possible by it's state of the art extrusion facility, wood free Rice hull formula, strict attention to detail and a high-tech laboratory for quality assurance and R&D. Complete customer satisfaction is ensured with every product. For more information please call 1-905-265-0022 x 3251 or visit [www.trunorthdeck.com](http://www.trunorthdeck.com)

## About EPL Plastics

As a vertically integrated business with TruNorth, EPL Plastics brings unequalled technical experience and innovative plastics solutions. EPL Plastics was founded in 2014 by management and employees from Dekka Resins, who was the single source supplier of recycled plastic to the largest horticultural manufacturer in the world (ITML Horticultural Products and later Myers Industries Lawn and Garden Group- MYE:NYSE) for over 35 years.

EPL Plastics, partners with plastic processors in the automotive, packaging, horticultural and profile industries, to maximize the value of their plastic waste with processing and repurposing programs.

EPL is equipped with the in-house ability to granulate, shred, densify, separate, blend, pulverize and extrude over 200 million lbs of reclaimed plastics annually. EPL operates from a 100,000 sq ft building beside the TruNorth manufacturing facility and provides the recycled plastic and technical support for TruNorth's products.

# Images



*Clubhouse Decking 1*



*Clubhouse Decking 2*



*Clubhouse Decking 3*



*TruNorth Deck*



*TruNorth Deck 1*



*Manufacturing and Distribution Facility*



*Sales/Administration office*