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Windy City Wire Appoints Brian Litman as New CFO

Bolingbrook, IL – September 5, 2024 – Windy City Wire is pleased to announce the appointment of Brian Litman as the company's new Chief Financial Officer, effective August 26, 2024. Litman brings over 25 years of financial leadership experience to Windy City Wire and looks to play a key role in guiding the company's financial and business strategy. Brian succeeds David DeNeve who is retiring from the company and will assist in the orderly transition of his duties.

"I'm honored to be joining the amazing story here at Windy City Wire," expressed Brian Litman. "I look forward to supporting the continued growth of the company in relationship with Diploma PLC, while building upon the outstanding foundation Dave DeNeve has established here."

"With his extensive experience and expertise, I am confident that Brian will play a key role in helping us continue our path forward," stated Rich Galgano, CEO of Windy City Wire.

"I am pleased to welcome Brian Litman as our new CFO. Brian has a wealth of experience in financial leadership, having held key leadership positions throughout his career. We are confident Brian will make a significant impact at Windy City as we continue to grow and further strengthen our position in the low-voltage world," commented Dan Hughes, President of Windy City Wire.

With Special Acknowledgement

As Windy City Wire marks this change in leadership, it is with the utmost respect and appreciation extended to David DeNeve for his 17 years of leadership and commitment to growth. Congratulations on your retirement Dave and best wishes for your next chapter ahead.

"I have enjoyed my time here at Windy City Wire and can look back proudly at all the accomplishments we have reached as an organization. I'll take with me countless memories and not just relationships, but friendships as well. I'm confident Windy City Wire will continue to grow and evolve as an organization, and I'm humbled to have played a part in this success," noted Dave DeNeve.

"I want to take this opportunity to express our deepest gratitude to Dave for his outstanding contributions to Windy City Wire. His leadership and dedication have been invaluable, and he will be sorely missed," expressed Rich Galgano, CEO of Windy City Wire regarding DeNeve's retirement.

"It's a bittersweet moment for all of us at Windy City Wire as we say goodbye to Dave DeNeve, who has been an invaluable member of the company for 17 plus years," reflected Dan Hughes, President of Windy City Wire. "While it's difficult to see him and Christie go, we are also filled with excitement for them to start their next chapter together. During Dave's time here, he made a lasting impact on our company. His dedication, vision and unwavering leadership have been instrumental in our success."

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About Windy City Wire

Windy City Wire is a leading innovator in the design and development of low-voltage cable and cable management solutions for the low-voltage industry. Windy City Wire's patented RackPack® Field Systems Solution, is the industries' most comprehensive cable management system, providing integrators significant increases in productivity, safety and efficiency at nearly every stage of the cable installation process, from concept to completion.

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