



**News Release**

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## **CCL Industries Announces Organization Changes**

**Toronto, March 17, 2008** – CCL Industries Inc., a world leader in the development of labelling solutions and specialty packaging for the consumer products and healthcare industries, announced today that John Doolittle resigned from his position as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the Company for health reasons.

Mr. Donald G. Lang, Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer said, “Steve Lancaster announced his retirement from the position of Chief Financial Officer in December 2007 and at that time, agreed to remain at CCL until the end of 2008 to assist the Company with a number of special projects. Steve has assumed the role of Acting CFO in the interim to ensure continuity and provide support as we transition to a new CFO.”

With headquarters in Toronto, Canada, CCL Industries now employs approximately 5,500 people and operates 54 production facilities in North America, Europe, Latin America and Asia. CCL Label is the world’s largest converter of pressure sensitive and film materials and sells to leading global customers in the consumer packaging, healthcare and consumer durable segments. CCL Container and CCL Tube produce aluminum cans, bottles and plastic tubes for the consumer products industry in North America.

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