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Production Tool & Supply Merges with Factory Supply

Two established local companies consolidate to increase capabilities

July 1, 2014 (Rockford, IL)—Production Tool & Supply is excited to announce a merger with local company Factory Supply. This combined enterprise will optimize the strengths of both companies by unifying resources and combining the efforts of a skilled sales and support team, all under the Production Tool & Supply name and location.

While the names of the companies will immediately reflect the change, current customers will still see invoicing and paperwork under their original company for the time being. Both companies anticipate a smooth transition with no interruption in service to customers.

Production Tool's current cutting tool, material handling, and MRO lines will be improved with the merger, as Factory Supply brings substantial MRO and abrasive resources and decades of team experience and knowledge.

Current Factory Supply customers now have the added option to shop online at www.Production-Tool.com, and their order will still be processed through Factory Supply.

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About Production Tool

Production Tool & Supply Company, a leader in industrial distribution, was founded in Rockford, Illinois, in 1947. Serving Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin, Production Tool & Supply Company has become synonymous with providing quality products and service, with extensive cutting tool, material handling and MRO lines.

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