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Grindmaster-Cecilware™ Announces New Plant Manager

Louisville, KY — Grindmaster-Cecilware Corporation announced that Tom Randall has been appointed as Grindmaster-Cecilware's new Plant Manager. Tom will be based in Louisville, Kentucky and will be responsible for all aspects of manufacturing at the Louisville location.

Tom was most recently employed at ITW Food Equipment Group - Hobart in Richmond Hill, GA. Tom held various positions at ITW in Quality, Operations and as a Business Unit Manager responsible for a line of food preparation equipment. Prior to his time at ITW, he spent 12 years at GE in a range of assignments in manufacturing operations at plants producing aircraft engines, military radar/ sonar systems and locomotives.

Tom has earned his Bachelor's Degree in Industrial Engineering from the Rochester Institute of Technology and is a graduate of the GE Manufacturing Management Program. Additionally, Tom is a past member of ASQ (American Society for Quality) and has led various continuous improvement, lean manufacturing, and quality management system implementations.

Grindmaster-Cecilware™ is headquartered in Louisville, Kentucky with locations in New York, Illinois, and Thailand. The company is owned and managed by BNY Mezzanine Partners, L.P.

Grindmaster-Cecilware's™ extensive product line is the basis for the company's mission; to build the next generation single source global beverage and foodservice equipment solution. Grindmaster-Cecilware™ manufactures a comprehensive line of quality beverage dispensing equipment for hot, cold, and frozen beverages and a complementary foodservice equipment line.

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