



BAZZINOTTI PROMOTED TO COO AT ADC

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American Dryer Corporation (“ADC”) has promoted Joseph Bazzinotti, formerly Vice President of Operations, to the newly created position of Chief Operating Officer. The Departments of Manufacturing, Engineering, Sales & Marketing, Human Resources, Technology, Parts, and Service will report to Bazzinotti. Finance will continue to report to Dennis Slutsky, President and CEO, as he strives to make acquisitions in the laundry industry.



Joseph Bazzinotti

Bazzinotti joined ADC in 2006 and has transformed the way ADC operates by applying Lean Manufacturing and Six Sigma techniques in its manufacturing plant and garnering operational efficiencies across multiple departments.

“In his short tenure with ADC, Bazzinotti has been instrumental in helping ADC reduce lead-times, improve quality and lay the groundwork for continued growth,” said Slutsky. “The next few years will be an exciting time for ADC, as we implement our growth plan.”

Bazzinotti has more than twenty years of operations experience. He began his career as an Industrial Engineer and served seven years with Invensys (The Foxboro Company) in various high-level roles, including Director of Manufacturing. Bazzinotti holds an MBA in Global Leadership from Suffolk University in Boston, Massachusetts and a Bachelor’s Degree in Operations Management.

About ADC

American Dryer Corporation designs and manufactures energy-efficient drying solutions for commercial coin-operated, on-premise and industrial laundry markets in over 90 countries worldwide. ADC devotes its business to providing more models of dryers that perform better than any others. The result of this single-minded pursuit is well recognized by the ADC symbol, which is the hallmark that is trusted by laundries worldwide for total quality. It is this quality that has helped establish American Dryer Corporation as the world’s largest sole manufacturer of commercial laundry dryers. ADC’s Solaris line is available in sizes ranging from 20 lb to 75 lbs. and its traditional AD line is available in sizes ranging from 20 lbs. to 460 lbs. For specific information visit www.amdry.com.

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