Appointment - Toronto Hydro Telecom Inc.

TORONTO, Nov. 8 /CNW/ - David Dobbin, President, Toronto Hydro Telecom Inc. is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Ian Collins to the position of Vice President of Operations.

Most recently as President of FibreWired Hamilton, an affiliate of the Hamilton Utilities Corporation, Ian successfully launched and maintained profitability for the telecommunications unit since its inception in early 2000. Ian has played significant roles within complex technological projects and has achieved many milestones throughout his career, including being appointed as Chairman of the Board of Directors for the United Telecom Council of Canada (UTC) - May 2004. UTC Canada represents the competitive and internal telecommunications and information technology interests of electric and gas utilities, water companies, oil and gas pipelines and other critical infrastructure organizations in Canada.

"lan's years of experience, solid base of technical knowledge and industry expertise compliments our commitment of providing the highest quality of services and support within the industry. He has also proven himself as an innovator, with exceptional insight into network and systems integration which will significantly enhance our competitive position in the market," said Mr. Dobbin.

About Toronto Hydro Telecom Inc.

Toronto Hydro Telecom Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Toronto Hydro Corporation, provides data services in Toronto to more than 400 commercial addresses through its 450-kilometre fibre-optic network.

The company offers a broad range of data communications solutions including Ethernet, Private Line, Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) and Internet Access. Toronto Hydro Telecom possesses a wholly owned fibre optic network that is completely diverse from those of other carriers. Through a consolidated sales group with Hydro One Telecom Inc., business and institutional customers can enjoy seamless access across the province and into Quebec and the United States.

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