



Press release

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Artopex announces the startup of its manufacturing activities and the launch of three new collections to adapt work environments to today's reality.

Granby, Monday, May 11th, 2020 Artopex announces today the official startup of its manufacturing activities and the launch of three new collections of protective screens to adapt working environments to today's reality. One of these solutions offering a universal design that can be integrated into any working or commercial environments.

"The current situation has prompted our teams to think about solutions that would address the concerns of companies considering the return of their teams to the workplace" explains Daniel Pelletier, President, Artopex. "We concluded that we should develop a flexible and versatile solution that could adapt to all types of surfaces and various applications. We have also decided to modify some of our collections so that our customers who would opt for a transformation of their workstations in the longer term can continue to rely on our solutions", continues M. Pelletier.

Artopex is therefore launching three different collections:

1. Workstation Freestanding and Universal Protective Screens

These clear acrylic screens are placed on the surfaces. They require no installer and will be available quick ship (approx. 5 days). They are designed for fixed or height adjustable workstations, reception desks, factory applications or other commercial spaces. Available in multiple formats.

2. Workstation Protective Screens

These protective screens are available in laminate (solid colors or wood grain pattern) and acrylic. These screens can be attached to work surfaces to create protected spaces that maintain the design integrity of your work environments. They are also shipped quickly. Available in multiple formats.

3. Freestanding Protective Screen

This freestanding screen offers a protection in a standing position and can be placed in any location to create a protective barrier between individuals. Lightweight, easy to

move, its sturdy design is suitable for offices, as well as manufacturing and commercial environments. Available quick ship and requires no installer.

These products are designed in one of our Artopex Canadian based facilities and the metal components come from another one of Artopex's factories, therefore ensuring that the supply chain is controlled at all stages. "We are confident that these new collections will give a boost to restart production after a few weeks of downtime", concludes Daniel Pelletier. These products are available now.

About Artopex

Artopex, whose head office is established in Quebec, was founded in 1980 by Daniel Pelletier. The company now has 6 factories across the province and showrooms in strategic territories in Canada and the United States. Artopex offers a full range of furniture dedicated to workspaces, designed and manufactured in Quebec: wood furniture, freestanding furniture, architectural walls, systems, metal storage and armchairs. The company has been a member of the Platinum Club in the Deloitte ranking of the best managed companies in Canada for over 14 years. It is with pride in its roots and a commitment to its community that the family business wishes to continue its expansion.

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