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## Columbia Machine, Inc. Expands Brazil Market Presence

VANCOUVER, WA (USA) – July 23, 2018 – Rick Goode, CEO of Columbia Machine, Inc., announced today the opening of Columbia Machine Brasil Comercio de Equipamentos Ltda. Columbia Machine Brasil (CMB) will handle all commercial activity for the Brazilian market and will expand into a parts and service center to better serve our customers.

Columbia Machine Brasil works with Vibramolde, a leading Brazilian manufacturer of molds, to supply Columbia OEM machine parts and mold solutions locally to the Brazil market. This partnership allows Columbia customers to buy Columbia parts and molds in local currency, the Brazilian Real, from Columbia's new local entity, manufactured under a license by Vibramolde, shortening deliveries and eliminating many of the delays related to importation.

Columbia Machine Brasil is located in Sao Paulo at:  
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### ABOUT COLUMBIA MACHINE

Established in 1937, Columbia Machine is a fourth generation, privately held, world-wide leader in the design, manufacturing and support of factory automation equipment solutions for a variety of industries, with customers in over 100 countries around the world. Primary business units include: Batching and Mixing Solutions, Concrete Products Equipment Solutions, Production Equipment Molds, Bag Filling and Handling Technology, Mechanical Palletizing Machines, Robotic Palletizing Solutions, Conveyor System Solutions, Pallet Load Transfer Solutions and Manufacturing Services. The Columbia Group of companies has manufacturing facilities on three continents, with over 1,000 team members worldwide, focused on world-class engineered solutions and customer service.

Everything we do . . . always from the eyes of our customers.

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