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1.0 PURPOSE

- 1.01 2021 to 2025 accessibility plan outlines the policies and actions that G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. will put into place to improve opportunities for people with disabilities.
- 1.02 This plan must be updated at minimum every five years.

2.0 STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

- 2.01 G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. is committed to treating all individuals in a way that allows them to maintain their dignity and independence. We believe in integration and equal opportunity. We are committed to meeting the needs of people with disabilities in a timely manner, and will do so by preventing and removing barriers to accessibility and meeting accessibility requirements under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act ("AODA").
- 2.02 *HR 5.10 Accessibility Statement of Commitment* is posted on AODA bulletin boards in all plants, posted at our front office and available upon request.

The following has been/will be implemented to improve accessibility for people with disabilities and to meet our requirements of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disability Act.

3.0 CUSTOMER SERVICE

- 3.01 G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. is in compliance with the Customer Service Standard. *HR 5.04 Customer Service Accessibility Accommodation Rev 004* revised September 1, 2021.
- 3.02 The public may obtain information on how to access accommodation or receive a copy of our accessibility policies through:
 - Information provided on our invoices and purchase orders
 - Company website www.gtmaf.com
 - External recruitment postings
 - Posting at our Front Foyer, Main Office
- 3.03 Any member of the public who requests accommodation will receive an Accommodation Feedback Form to complete. This form will be provided in an applicable format to meet the required accommodation.
- 3.04 *HR 6.70 Contractor Safety Agreement Policy* was updated November 2014 and revised April 2016 to include provisions for accessibility and requests for accommodation.
- 3.05 Training on customer service accessibility policy and procedure is provided to:
 - General Manager, Controller, Managers, HR Supervisor, Operations Supervisor, Procurement, HR Assistant, Accounting Clerk, Logistics Coordinator, Methods Technician and new hires/internal transfers to these positions.
- 3.06 Training will include:
 - HR 5.04 Customer Service Accessibility Accommodation Policy

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- HR 5.04 Summary Sheet
- Power Point "Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA)"
- #1 Standard Customer Service Accessibility Accommodation

4.0 INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS

- 4.01 G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. is committed to meeting the communication needs of people with disabilities. We will consult with people with disabilities as applicable to determine their information and communication needs.
- 4.02 The Company has confirmed our website content conforms to Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0, Level AA.
- 4.03 The Company continues to ensure existing feedback processes are accessible to people with disabilities.
- 4.04 All feedback received will be reviewed by Human Resources Supervisor and responded to accordingly.
- 4.05 The Company continues to ensure the following information is available:
 - (a) Invoices/Purchase Orders All invoices and purchase orders will have a disclaimer that states "To submit a request for accessibility accommodation or a copy of our Customer Service Accessibility policy, contact us at (613) 354-6621 ext. 213."
 - (b) Website www.gtmaf.com states "To submit a request for accessibility accommodation or a copy of our Customer Service Accessibility policy, contact us at (613) 354-6621 ext. 213 or email accessibility@machineandfab.com."
 - (c) Recruitment Postings On all recruitment postings, the Company will have a disclaimer that states "We will provide support in our recruitment processes to applicants with disabilities, including accommodation that takes into account an applicant's accessibility needs. If you require accommodation during the interview process, please contact us at accessibility@machineandfab.com."
- 4.06 Accessible emergency information is provided to customers, contractors and visitors with approved accommodation request.
- 4.07 Employees with disabilities have individualized emergency response plans.
- 4.08 Company ensures employee training is provided in an accessible format.
- 4.09 Front office staff and designated personnel are trained and familiar with various assistive devices. An AODA policy and procedure file is located at front desk.

5.0 EMPLOYMENT

5.01 G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. is in compliance with the Accessible Employment Standard. *HR 5.06 Accessible Employment Standard* was completed December 1, 2017.

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- 5.02 HR 5.20 Accommodation in the Workplace was completed June 1, 2021.
- 5.03 Internal and external postings provide information for requesting accommodation.
- 5.04 Interview process provides information for requesting accommodation.
- 5.05 HR 6.40 Evacuation General includes individual customized response plans.
- 5.06 Individual Employee Emergency Response Plans:
 - · Completed for employees with disabilities.
 - · Reviewed annually or earlier if required.
 - Reviewed and trained with designated employees.
- 5.07 Procedure established to complete and review Employee Accommodation Plans for all employees requesting accommodation.
- 5.08 Procedure established to complete and review Return To Work Plans for all employees returning from a leave due to disability.

6.0 DESIGN OF PUBLIC SPACES

- 6.01 G.T. Machining & Fabricating Ltd. will meet the Accessibility Standards for the Design of Public Spaces when building or making major modifications to public spaces. Public spaces may include outdoor paths of travel (i.e. sidewalks, ramps, stairs, curb ramps) and accessible off street parking.
 - Currently short term and long term plans do not include building or modifications.
- 6.02 Accessible elements of public spaces are maintained at all 4 plants.
- 6.03 In the event of accessible elements not available:
 - Operations Supervisors will advise Front Office.
 - Front Office will communicate unavailability or alternates to public, as required.

7.0 COMMUNICATION OF ACCESSIBILITY POLICIES

- 7.01 Policies, procedures and forms will be communicated to employees via:
 - Current copies filed in the company policy binder located in each lunchroom.
 - Company Employee Handbook.
 - Posted on AODA bulletin boards located in each plant.
- 7.02 All new hires will receive training during orientation.
- 7.03 Newsletters and employee talks will reference changes and additions as required.

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8.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- 8.01 For additional information on this accessibility plan, please contact HR Supervisor at: (613) 354-6621 Ext. 213 or kblack@machineandfab.com.
- 8.02 Accessible formats of this document are available upon request.

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