Telmar Network Technology
Executive Team

Ed Traupman
Vice President of Extended Life

Vice President of Global Extended Life and Services in North America, Ed Traupman, heads Telmar's Extended Life business unit and responsible for the manufacturing, R&D, and technical support of products Telmar has acquired from other OEMs. Mr. Traupman oversees Telmar's CTAC organization, which provides 24/7 customer support for both Telmar-owned and third- party products. He has 30 years of telecommunications industry experience, holding numerous technical and managerial positions at DSC Communications, Alcatel USA, and Rapid5 Networks before joining Telmar. Mr. Traupman has a bachelor's degree in mathematics and a master's degree in computer science from Southern Methodist University.

Bob Hill
Vice President of Sales

As Vice President of Sales, Bob Hill oversees sales of Telmar's Network Maintenance, Supply and OEM Solutions to original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), service providers and enterprises throughout North America. Before joining Telmar in 2009, Bob spent 21 years at Alcatel-Lucent, starting at DSC Communications that was later acquired by Alcatel. He served as Area Vice President of Sales at Alcatel-Lucent for the AT&T customer account, where various responsibilities included new business development and system engineering for Alcatel's SONET, MSWAN, IP/Ethernet and Multi-Service Access product lines. Major programs included SBC/AT&T's rollout of its ADSL Broadband Internet Access network, followed by the AT&T U-verse IPTV network based on Fiber-To-The-Node (FTTN) technology. Bob holds a BBA in Telecommunications Management from Golden Gate University. He is a board member on the Metroplex Technology Business Council (MTBC) of DFW.

Curtis Ideker
Vice President, Global Business Management

Vice President of Global Business Management, Curtis Ideker, provides custom product solutions that enable Telmar's global sales forces to be more successful in the sales cycle and have a greater impact on top-line growth. Prior to joining Telmar, Mr. Ideker managed product life cycles for multiple products at Alcatel and also coordinated product research and development, customer and internal product support and supply-chain execution at Alcatel. Mr. Ideker has managed product solutions for almost 20 years including positions at Raytheon Systems Company and Texas Instruments. Mr. Ideker has a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Kansas State University.

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Rick Flanagan
Director of Operations

As the Director of Operations, Rick Flanagan oversees operations at Telmar's Plano, Texas, and Council Bluffs, Iowa, facilities. Mr. Flanagan is an experienced senior executive with twenty-two years of cross-functional logistics operations expertise, proficiency, skill, and experience. Mr. Flanagan joined Telmar in 2002 and is a recognized leader in reverse logistics services for the telecommunications industry. He previously served as the senior manager of reverse logistics at Alcatel and holds a bachelor's degree in business management from LeTourneau University and an associate degree in electronic technology from DeVry Institute.

Michael Kenny
Director of Operations

Director of Operations Michael Kenny has been employed with Telmar/PCS since 1984 and is responsible for Operations Management at the Tampa, Florida, facility. Mr. Kenny also serves as Telmar's General Manager of its Enterprise Networks Division. During his career, Mr. Kenny has been active in all aspects of the corporation and has held multiple positions including Inventory Control Manager, Production Manager, Vice President-Manufacturing and Vice President-Operations in which he was responsible for all Corporate Operations across all PCS sites.