

ToughBuilt Industries Inc. Launches New Line of Long-Handle Garden and Landscaping Tools

IRVINE, Calif., Dec. 05, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- **ToughBuilt Industries, Inc.** ("ToughBuilt") (NASDAQ: TBLT; TBLTW), announced today the launch of the Company's new line of Long Handle Garden and Landscaping Tools. Beginning with 11 out of about 150 SKUs, the new line includes many innovative improvements.

This new product line joins the Company's existing line of hand tools and will be made available for purchase through a leading US home improvement retailer and across ToughBuilt's growing strategic networks of North American and global trade partners and buying groups, servicing over 15,500 storefronts and online portals worldwide.

In response to rapidly growing demand, ToughBuilt is expanding its product offerings in the garden tools category. In 2020, the global garden tools market size was US\$ 1.967 billion, and it is anticipated to reach US\$ 2.334 billion by the end of 2027¹, according to industry analysts.

Michael Panosian, ToughBuilt Co-Founder and CEO, stated, "Our entry into the global Long Handle Tools market is an excellent opportunity for ToughBuilt to build revenue and further brand awareness by setting a benchmark for durability and advanced design in the category." Panosian continued, "We look forward to extending our Company's reach into the expanding global garden tools market."

ABOUT TOUGHBUILT INDUSTRIES, INC:

ToughBuilt is an advanced product design, manufacturer, and distributor with emphasis on innovative products. Currently, we are focused on tools and other accessories for the professional and do-it-yourself construction industries. We market and distribute various home improvement and construction product lines for both the do-it-yourself and professional markets under the TOUGHBUILT brand name, within the global multibillion dollar per year tool market industry. All of our products are designed by our in-house design team. Since launching product sales in 2013, we have experienced significant annual sales growth. Our current product line includes three major categories, with several additional categories in various stages of development, consisting of Soft Goods & Kneepads and Sawhorses & Work Products. Our mission is to provide products to the building and home improvement communities that are innovative, of superior quality derived in part from enlightened creativity for our end users while enhancing performance, improving well-being

¹ Market Research via https://www.globenewswire.com/news-release/2022/03/28/2411122/0/en/Global-Garden-Tools-Market-Size-To-Surpass-US-23340-Million-By-2027-Garden-Tools-Industry-Analysis-By-Worldwide-Industry-Trends-Share-Gross-Margin-Future-Demand-Investment-Opportun.html

and building high brand loyalty. Additional information about the Company is available at: https://www.toughbuilt.com/.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

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