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### **JB Industries Partners with FasTest to Expand CoreMax Coverage**

Aurora, Illinois (January 12, 2017) – JB Industries, a premier manufacturer of American made HVAC/R tools and equipment, announces a new partnership with FasTest, as a national distributor for the CoreMax product line. For nearly 15 years, FasTest has been manufacturing the revolutionary CoreMax access valve for refrigeration manufacturers, which allows for rapid evacuation and charging of HVAC/R units.

As CoreMax's popularity with manufacturers has continued to increase, so has demand for tooling to easily service HVAC/R units equipped with CoreMax. FasTest's partnership with national distributor JB Industries will help provide service technicians in the field with FasTest's world class tools for the CoreMax system, which allow service technicians to evacuate, charge and reclaim faster than with a Schrader type valve and associated tooling. "We believe that partnering with the trusted name of JB Industries will allow FasTest to quickly introduce our line of service tools to technicians in the field and ultimately make their job more simple and efficient," said Joe Flaherty, National Sales Manager of HVAC/R at FasTest.

For JB Industries, the partnership is an opportunity to further extend their product offering in the HVAC/R market with an American made tooling system. "We are excited to offer the innovative technology of the CoreMax product line and partner with FasTest, who shares JB's commitment to providing quality American made parts," said Jeff Cherif, President of JB Industries.

#### **About FasTest, Inc.**

Since 1985, FasTest, Inc. has manufactured quick test connectors and valves that maximize efficiency, productivity and profitability for the automotive, calibration, medical, industrial manufacturing, HVAC/R and compressed gas industries.

Relying on core engineering skills, FasTest has secured over 50 US and International patents that serve as the design platform for innovative products that enable their customers to improve testing, manufacturing process and productivity. FasTest also offers custom connectors are for unique requirements.

#### **About JB Industries**

JB Industries is the premier manufacturer of American made HVAC/R products. For over 50 years, JB has been committed to manufacturing products of the highest quality while providing exceptional customer service. To learn more about our innovative product solutions, call 800.323.0811 or visit [www.jbind.com](http://www.jbind.com).

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