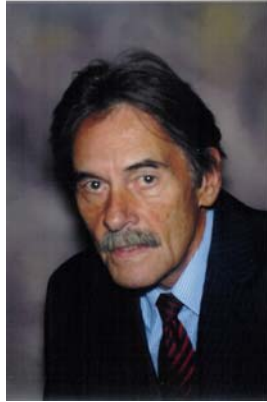


NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT



Mr. Arthur Fauteux, vice-chairman of the Board of Directors of the Brome-Missisquoi CLD, is pleased to announce the appointment of **Mr. Michel Brisson** to the position of industrial advisor.

With more than 20 years of experience in management and prospecting for foreign investments, Mr. Brisson has worked, since 2000, at Investissement Québec and at the United Kingdom Consulate General in Montreal in marketing strategies and prospecting for foreign investments.

Previously Mr. Brisson held positions as the director of economic affairs and as an investment representative at the Quebec Government General Delegations in New York, Paris and Stockholm.

His extensive experience in the industrial, international and export fields is an important asset for the region's businesses and his solid network of contacts, both public and private, in Quebec and abroad, favour the prospection for new investments in Brome-Missisquoi.

Mr. Brisson belongs to a team of several professionals dedicated to the region's economic development and prosperity through the creation and maintenance of jobs in all areas of activity in Brome-Missisquoi.

Mr. Brisson can be reached at the Brome-Missisquoi CLD in Cowansville at 450-266-4928, extension 254, or by E-Mail at mbrisson@cldbm.qc.ca

