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Mr. Sobb is Vice President of Supplier Collaboration & Supply Chain Canada for Staples, the world's largest office products company and is based in Denver, CO. Staples conducts retail and B2B operations in 26 countries in North and South America, Europe, Asia and Australia.

Mr. Sobb's responsibilities include leading Staples' Supplier Collaboration initiative with key vendors to drive shared cost savings across the end to end supply chain. These areas of opportunity include inventory optimization, packaging, transportation and reverse logistics. This has led to an exciting new focus on the Sustainability "Race to the Top" with key vendors. His additional areas of responsibility include leading the Supply Chain Canada Fulfillment & Delivery organization for B2B. The Staples Canada logistics network currently comprises 13 Fulfillment Centers across the country.

Prior to joining Staples, Mr. Sobb developed an extensive operating background over the course of his 32 year career. He has 17 years of office products experience including 14 years at Corporate Express where his positions included Vice President of Logistics, Vice President of Distribution Operations and Vice President of Customer Care & Inside Sales. He also held a variety of field management positions for 8 years at Frito-Lay and McLean Trucking for 7 years.

Mr. Sobb is a member of the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals, the Sustainable Packaging Coalition and the CORE Sustainability Group. He is a former Director of the Staples Foundation for Learning. Mr. Sobb holds a BA in Political Science from the University of Toledo and completed the Certificate Program in Executive Leadership from Cornell University. He has been a guest lecturer at the University of Colorado Leeds School of Business and the University of Denver Daniels College of Business.

