



October 14, 2011

**IN THE NEWS" BULLETIN - *Jay Hennick receives Honorary Degree, Doctor of Laws***

To the Friends and Family of FirstService:

We are pleased to advise you that Jay Hennick, our Founder and CEO, received the Honorary Degree, Doctor of Laws from York University in Toronto at the annual convocation ceremony held on October 13, 2011.

This is a great honour and a fitting tribute to Jay's leadership, success, community involvement, and philanthropic contributions over many years.

So that you can view part of this event, we have included below a website link capturing both the introduction of Jay by Patrick J. Monahan, Vice-President Academic and Provost of York University, to those attending the convocation and Jay's address to the graduating class and their guests.

[\*Patrick J. Monahan – Introduction Speech\*](#)

[\*Jay Hennick - Graduating Class Address\*](#)

Please join us in congratulating Jay on this momentous occasion, and celebrating this accolade, the underlying events of which so many of you have played a part in.

Scott Patterson, President & CEO  
John Friedrichsen, Senior Vice President & CFO