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Talvor Opens New Zealand RV Factory

A new Talvor Motorhomes factory will open in New Zealand from April 2010, the recreational vehicle powerhouse announced today. A projected 250 campervans and motorhomes will be built for the company's rental and retail divisions in the first 12 months of operation.

CEO Luke Trouchet said "I am delighted to reveal the expansion of our hugely successful manufacturing division. Our Brisbane factory has grown to become one of Australia's largest motorhome manufacturers, and doubtless our New Zealand project will do equally well."

"The new factory will supply our custom designed rental campervans direct to our Premier Partners and Auckland and Christchurch Apollo rental branches. Talvor's reputation for building strong, durable and award winning motorhomes and campervans has made it the first choice for not only our own rental business, but for other rental and retail operators," he said.

Executive General Manager - Vehicle Sales, Andrew Fisher said "we are very excited to take the Talvor brand to the next level in the New Zealand market. Our New Zealand Premier Partners will enjoy a range of benefits as a result of this expansion."

Talvor achieved a 50% increase in recreational vehicle production in 2009 from its Brisbane factory, and launched four new vehicle types including the Talvor Pinnacle, a 6 berth motorhome built specifically for the New Zealand and Australian rental markets.

Talvor was established in 2005 by the Apollo group of companies, the world's largest privately owned recreational vehicle operator. Apollo operates 23 rental branches in Australia, Canada, New Zealand and the USA. The motorhome, campervan and car rental business has developed several brands to service all markets.

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