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**Belzona Polymerics Announces a New Aid for Quarry Maintenance**

**Harrogate, England – (May 2008)** Due to the varied and temperamental nature of the UK’s quarrying environment, many traditional maintenance methods and materials are not always available. Leaking pipes or plate bonding repairs, for example, can be difficult to carry out due to the requirement for extensive surface preparation and uncertain climatic conditions.

Almost invariably, each engineer has learned to develop their own unique fix for issues such as oil leaks using an array of non-purposeful equipment and materials, but never has a cost-effective and reliable solution for the problem existed.

As a result, North Yorkshire’s Belzona Polymerics has taken it upon itself to produce an innovative new repair product capable of being applied in damp or oily conditions with minimal surface preparation.

The resulting product is named Belzona® 1831 and was introduced to the power industry at the beginning of the year. Many nationwide energy companies have been trialling the product, seeing it as an effective method of protecting valuable machinery in little time.

“The product was initially developed to combat the problems encountered within ageing power transmission systems,” explained Gordon Cairns, UK Sales Manager for Belzona. “Since introducing the product to the Energy Industry in December last year, the interest has far surpassed our expectations and we have taken the decision to introduce it to other sectors. Quarries have supported Belzona since our inception and it is with pride that we are able to offer this new product to the industry.”

As well as offering potential customers the Belzona® 1831 product, a new kit has been designed specifically for leak repairs. The contents of the kit have been specified at the behest of Belzona’s authorised contractors in order to maximise the efficiency of the materials.

Both the Belzona Leak Repair Kit and Belzona® 1831 products are now available for purchase in quarries throughout the UK.

***About Belzona Polymerics Ltd.***

Manufacturer of industrial protective coatings and repair composites since 1952, Belzona provides a wide variety of applications to rebuild, repair and maintain machinery, equipment and building structures. Belzona’s local on-site Technical Consultants analyze the situation, recommend the solution, and supervise the application. With their Global Distribution Network covering over 120 countries and 24-hour Technical Support, Belzona is established in the forefront of industry by serving such markets as oil and gas, power, marine, and water/wastewater.