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# BELZONA FLANGE REFORM GIVES FIVE YEARS OF LEAK FREE SERVICE

#### **CUSTOMER**

FPSO North Sea, UK

#### **APPLICATION DATE**

August 2002

#### **APPLICATION SITUATION**

Oil Transfer Hose on FPSO in the North Sea Oil & Gas Industry

#### **PROBLEM**

Hose failed its pressure test prior to being built into a replacement string.

#### **PRODUCTS**

Belzona® 1321 (Ceramic S Metal)

#### **SUBSTRATE**

Carbon Steel

### **APPLICATION METHOD**

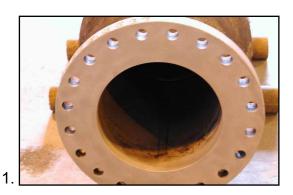
Application carried out in accordance with Belzona Know-How System Leaflet VPF-13.

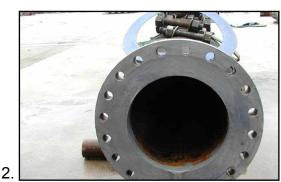
## **BELZONA FACTS**

Hose would have been scrapped at a cost of £25,000.00, the string change out would have been delayed leading to a reduction in the unloading frequency from the FPSO. Belzona repair in excellent condition after 5 years in service.

#### **PICTURES**

- 1. Flange face blasted ready for forming
- 2. Face formed and pressure tested to 16 Bar
- 3. After 5 years service
- 4. Close up of the reformed face after 5 years service









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