# **BELZONA 9811 EXTENDS SERVICE LIFE OF FLOP GATE AT CEMENT PLANT**

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Application:	SHM-Solids Handling Machinery
Substrate:	AR steel
Products:	* Belzona 1311 (Ceramic R-Metal) ,
	* Belzona 9811 ,

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Customer Location: *Bagged Concrete Plant, Virginia, USA* Application Date: *October 2006* 

#### Problem

Induction

*Excessive wear on the flop gate (valve) made of AR steel (AR 400). It only lasted 9 months before wearing out. Customer was looking for a longer term solution.* 



## Photograph Descriptions

- \* Quickcrete mixture on the conveyor belt ,
- \* Flop gate repair completed ,
- \* Flop gate repair close up ,

#### **Application Situation**

A flop gate which is a chute that is "flopped" to one side or the other exposing the chute that the plant needs the aggregae in.

#### **Application Method**

Application was carried out in accordance with Belzona System Leaflet SHM-7.

## **Belzona Facts**

Customer was looking for an 18 month life cycle rather than the 9 months provided by AR 400. The first option, Belzona 1811 (Ceramic Carbide) lasted about 9 months, equivalent to the AR 400 steel. Belzona 9811 tiles solution has been in place since the fall of 2006.

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