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

ID: 5024

Industry: Cement Customer Location: Bagged Concrete Plant, Virginia, USA

Application: SHM-Solids Handling Machinery Application Date: October 2006

Substrate: AR steel

Products: \* Belzona 1311 (Ceramic R-Metal),

\* Belzona 9811,

#### **Problem**

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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