# BELZONA PROTECTS PULSATION DAMPENER

ID: 92

Industry: Chemical & Petrochemical Customer Location: Offshore drilling company

Application: VPF-Valves, Pipes and Fittings Application Date: 1994

Substrate: Carbon steel
Products: \* Belzona® 1391,

### Problem

The rough surface caused by corrosion within the dampener was causing the diaphragm to be holed very quickly. This was leading to the drilling operation having to be shut down whilst the diaphragm was changed.







# **Photograph Descriptions**

- \* The unit after surface preparation which involved repeated washing and grit blasting to remove salt contamination ,
- \* Application of Belzona® 1391 underway ,
- \* The completed application. The smooth corrosion resistant surface will minimise wear on the diaphragm,

## **Application Situation**

Pulsation dampeners handling a mixture of brine and drilling mud at temperature of 100°C and 350 bar pressure.

### **Application Method**

Application was carried out in accordance with Belzona System Leaflet VPF-2.

### **Belzona Facts**

The reduction in un-scheduled shut downs speeded up the overall drilling process saving £1000's in operating costs