

BEML bags Rs207-cr export order from Indonesia

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BANGALORE: The Bangalore-based mining and construction equipment major under the defense ministry, BEML Ltd., has bagged two export orders worth Rs207-crore for supply of mining equipment from two Indonesian companies. The first order, from Pt Fajar Bumi Sakti of Indonesia, is for the supply of 93 equipments consisting of hydraulic excavators, rear dump trucks and bull dozers, valued at Rs158-crore.

According to a company official, a pilot batch of eight machines have already been deployed at KPC mines, one of



the world's largest open cast coal mines in Indonesia. Additional supply of equipment will be deployed at KPC Mines, Tenagarong Mines and Tabang Mines of Indonesia.

The second order is from Far East Resources and Mining Co Pte Ltd., Singapore, for the supply of 35 machines for their coal mines at Tarakon in Indonesia. The order has been valued at Rs49-crore.

A BEML company release has stated that the company plans to establish a sales office-cum-repair facility and spares depot at Balikpapan in Indonesia in the next 2-3 months. ●

Quippo offers new Rotary Piling Rig

Quippo Infrastructure offers the all new Rotary Piling Rig for the first time in Kolkata

Quippo Infrastructure Equipment Ltd., (QIEL), offers their newly acquired Rotary Piling Rig for infrastructural development. QIEL has started the operations of this rig by lending it to Tantia Construction Ltd., (TCL), in Kolkata who very recently won the project for constructing a prestigious 1117 mtr long flyover at Salt Lake – Rajarhat Bypass. The principal client of the project is Kolkata Metropolitan Development Authority. This flyover is to facilitate movement of vehicular traffic in the area. At present, approximately, maximum traffic density is 300 vehicles per hour, one way, during peak hours.

This Rotary Piling Rig can work at a depth of 40 mtrs., with a radius of 2000 mm and can drill any type of ground with different drilling techniques and is developed with the



Philippe Clover, president, Quippo Infrastructure Equipment Ltd.

help of a CAD system. Also, to facilitate the counterweight and all the parts of the rig, it is positioned in a manner to guarantee maximum stability to the machine.

Speaking on the occasion, Philippe Clover, president, QIEL, said, "We are very excited to have this new rig as this strengthens our fleet of unmatched range of infrastructure equipment. With our aim to aid the growth and development of infrastructure in the country this rig will take a step further in ensuring that we achieve our goals."

It is reliably learnt that QIEL is planning to bring more such equipment in Kolkata because they believe this city should not be deprived from the advantage of this highly sophisticated and multi-utility equipment. Quippo's piling rigs are also engaged in other prestigious projects across the nation. ●