

Creating Space

Companies looking to optimise space within warehouses, distribution facilities and manufacturing plants are increasingly using Rectagrid RS40 floor grating to create mezzanine floors. This locally-manufactured floor grating has long been the considered the workhorse of the industrial flooring market.

“Constructing a mezzanine using floor grating offers optimum flexibility and is a more cost effective option than using a brick and mortar structure,” says Elaine van Rooyen, marketing manager at Andrew Mentis. “However, it is essential that companies which make use of floor grating for this application

deal with a reputable supplier that is able to verify the structural integrity of the flooring product.”

Rectagrid RS40 is manufactured at Andrew Mentis’ facility in Elandsfontein, Johannesburg and makes use of a pressure locking system. This manufacturing process produces unquestionable locking characteristics guaranteeing the structural integrity of the floor grating.

To further ensure optimum reliability in corrosive environments, floor grating can be hot dip galvanised or manufactured in stainless steel or 3CR12.

Rectagrid RS40 floor grating is engineered to take specific loading, which ensures both the structural integrity of a mezzanine floor and the safety of people walking or working in those areas.

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Distributor in Gaborone

After a decision to increase its footprint in the SADC region, Goscor Lift Truck Company (GLTC) has recently appointed several new distributors in neighbouring countries. The latest is the appointment, in Gaborone, Botswana, of Brenham, a general industrial sales and service organisation, which is owned and managed by Ronnie van der Nest and David Nunes, both highly experienced practitioners in the servicing and selling of machinery.

Randhir Haripersad, Goscor Group GM Africa, says that he is optimistic about the possibilities in Botswana with Brenham in place. “Both Ronnie and David are motivated and experienced and we know that they will do justice to the Goscor range of materials han-

dling equipment (MHE) in Botswana.”

He adds that Goscor and Brenham are up against some well-established competition in the region. “But with our proven product excellence and Brenham’s skills, I believe that we will make significant inroads for local distribution and service in a short space of time.”

Ronnie van der Nest agrees. “We are very excited about the future here and we have no doubt that our market share in the MHE space will grow quickly. Even though we only very recently concluded the rights to distribute GLTC product here, we have already been inundated with enquiries.

“There is no doubt that the Goscor



Randhir Haripersad,
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reputation for excellence in both product and service precedes us in this country and we will use this to build an outstanding distribution and service business,” Ronnie concludes.

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