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CHAMTECH SYSTEMS HELPS IPC MAKE ADVANCES IN PRESTRESSED / PRECAST CONCRETE PRODUCTION

Montreal company installed new system to protect prestressed / precast forms otherwise exposed to the elements during curing.



February 2008 - With a new Rollcov-R system from Chamtech Systems, IPC—Iowa prestressed Concrete—has made a bold advance in the production of prestressed & precast concrete for the construction of buildings, bridges, and other infrastructure using precast concrete. The company is now using specialized Rollcov-R's developed by Chamtech Systems to protect precast forms from effects of weather. The cover systems not only protect the concrete as it cures, they also offer IPC the option to pour year-round despite winter weather conditions detrimental to the curing process. According to IPC's Tom Beinke, the new system not only saves money and time in the precast process, it also helps IPC demonstrate its leadership in the industry as an innovator in the production process.

Chamtech president Dietmar Neumann says IPC has made an innovative improvement to their production. "IPC has made an intelligent, forward thinking decision in protecting its precast production with our Rollcov-R system," says Neuman. "Together with IPC, Chamtech has installed a solution to the challenge of protecting IPC's products and employees in the production of precast concrete construction materials."

Pouring concrete in cold weather mandates a number of precautions are taken to ensure the proper curing of the materials; structural concrete—such as the precast products from IPC—further requires carefully controlled post-curing cooling. The Rollcov-R system offers precast structural concrete manufacturers like IPC the perfect solution for controlling the curing and cooling of precast concrete structures without compromising the integrity of the product or the company's production schedule. In particular, the Rollcov-R system helps avoid adverse effects of winter weather on the precast process.

Chamtech Systems, provides a number of industry-leading solutions in the protection of industrial applications. The company is continually engaged in the research and development of new and innovated solutions to improve the manufacturing process while saving money.

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