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LANDWARDS 2008 CONFERENCE **Thursday 8 May 2008**

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The UK landbased engineering sector is alive and well. The list of companies manufacturing in the UK for local and export consumption is testament to that. However, there is always a need to improve the way we do things – no one is ever perfect! Although there has been a dramatic reduction in the UK manufacturing base in recent years, paradoxically, a small number of companies seem able to expand profitably, by exploiting design and manufacturing skills at home and abroad. We hope to show how this can be done economically and effectively.

This conference is intended to provide an opportunity for delegates to network with experts in many aspects of manufacturing and is aimed at all those engineers who are interested in, or need to get up to date with, the latest ideas in all aspects of manufacturing. Speakers from well-respected suppliers will present a wide range of topics including case histories from companies that have effectively implemented positive changes.

The intention is that everyone will leave with information that can be put into immediate effect and give increased margins as well as increasing production from existing resources.



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Conference Programme

09.00 IAgRE Annual General Meeting

09.30 Registration and Coffee

MORNING SESSION 10.00 – 12.30

10.00 Welcome by: **Professor Wynne Jones**,
Principal, Harper Adams University College

Conference opened by
Conference Chairman: **Roger Lane-Nott**,
Director General, AEA Ltd.

10.10 Introduction by: **Richard Robinson**, Chief Executive,
Autoguide Equipment Ltd, and
President-Elect, IAgRE

10.30
Paper 1 Steels – Materials Selection **David Want**
Swedish Steel

11.10
Paper 2 Manual Production Solutions and
their application in Lean Manufacturing **Mark Dash**
Andy Minturn
Bosch Rexroth

11.50
Paper 3 Work Practices – maximising efficiency **Ian Sayers**
JCB

12.30 Lunch
IAgrE Annual Awards Ceremony and Exhibits viewing

AFTERNOON SESSION 14.00 – 17.00

Chaired by **Roger Lane-Nott**

14.00
Paper 1 Cutting Waste in Manufacture **Nigel Cole**
Neal Lafford
Belle Engineering

14.30
Paper 2 The Role of Coatings in Corrosion
Protection **Arthur Moseley**
Julian Hopkins
Akzo Nobel

15.00
Paper 3 Integrating Laser Cutting and
Pressforming – tips and tricks **David Larcombe**
Bystronic UK

15.30
Paper 4 Making Change Work **Paul Fewtrell**
RWD Technologies

16.00 Q&A Session **Richard Robinson**

16.30 Tea & disperse

17.00 IAgRE Council Meeting



**IAgrE CPD equivalence
Six hours**

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Registration Form

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