

Global Pipe Company adds new pre-bending machine to Jubail pipe mill

GLOBAL PIPE COMPANY (GPC) – a Saudi-German joint venture for the manufacturing of longitudinal welded pipes – has announced the procurement of a pre-bending machine for its pipe mill in Jubail. The contract for the construction, erection and commissioning of the machine was signed earlier this month with the German machine manufacturer, WELDEC GmbH.

The new machine, with a full set of forming tools, covers a pipe diameter range from 16 to 62 inches, and a wall thickness range up to two inches (50.8 mm).

“This new machine is part of GPC’s plan to diversify its product portfolio and to reinforce its position as supplier of heavy walled LSAW [longitudinal submerged arc welded] pipes in the region,” highlighted Mr Ahmed Hamed Al-Khonaini, Managing Director of Global Pipe Company, whose company is striving to become the recognised regional leader in the production of such pipes for the oil, gas, petrochemical, power generating and civil engineering industries and markets.

Established in late-2010 in Jubail



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