



Belhasa Projects LLC

Press Release

International Athletes at Commonwealth Games sprint on running tracks by Belhasa Projects

Dubai, UAE; October 13, 2010: Belhasa Projects (BHP), the UAE based multi-faceted contracting services company, supplied and installed six running tracks of a total area of more than 60, 000 square metres for the Commonwealth Games (CWG) in New Delhi. The company installed the tracks at six different locations including the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, the main stadium for CWG and the first athletics track in India to be given a Class 1 Certificate by the International Association of Athletics Federation (IAAF) .

Commenting on the project, Albert Joseph, Business Development Manager, Belhasa Projects, said: “We are delighted to have worked on a project of such massive scale. The work started in the beginning of the year at the Thyagaraj Stadium in New Delhi. We employed a core team of ten employees and a support crew of 35 during the peak times. The single most challenge was the weather, we started laying in fairly reasonable dry conditions of 28 degrees but very quickly in May through July, the temperatures rose to above 40 degrees and then , in August, the monsoons came which resulted in some of the highest rainfall figures that have ever been recorded. However, we managed to complete the work on time, with the last track being laid at the Delhi University.”

BHP used Conipur MX, an IAAF certified superior quality sports surfacing system to build the tracks. It is a high performance, impermeable, full pour; three layer athletic track and field sports system. The tracks are applied in-situ (not pre-fabricated) and are seamless and have a granular surface.

The company has successfully offered its services to various national and international sporting events in the past including installing the running track at the Khalifa Stadium in Doha for the 15th Asian Games.

BHP has provided the highest quality sports construction and surfacing for over 20 years. The company offers total construction of sports facilities including design/build and turnkey construction and renovation. Over the years, BHP has successfully completed sports flooring for various games like Rugby, Football, Hockey and Tennis. The company specialises in Outdoor and Indoor Multi-purpose and Children's Playgrounds and also provides landscaping in a variety of materials like Polyurethane, Artificial Turf and Acrylic. It provides lighting, theatre seating, fencing and other accessories for sports stadiums.

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About Belhasa Projects (BHP)

UAE based Belhasa Projects is part of Belhasa International. BHP was launched in 1980 as a specialist in swimming pool construction and today the company is one of the largest of its kind in the world. BHP constructed pools can be seen in palaces, hotels, leisure complexes and villas. The company has also diversified into sports coatings, landscaping and maintenance, waste water projects, concrete repairs, equine pools and MEP.