

## Buck & Hickman & BSS Industrial go for Gold

Staff at BSS Industrial and Buck & Hickman have been warming up to welcome trade for the Olympics at their new joint branch, adjacent to the Site entrance on Barbers Road in Stratford, East London.

The branch has been opened with the main purpose of serving contractors working at Olympic Park. It is the first new trade counter that both BSS Industrial and Buck & Hickman, the BSS Group's specialist tools, maintenance and health and safety supplier, have opened for several years - and, by positioning itself right on the doorstep of the venue for the 2012 Games, will be able to provide a fast, convenient and reliable service for contractors working on site.

Frank Elkins, BSS Industrial Managing Director, said: "The Olympics presents an enormous opportunity for all those involved in the UK construction industry and we have been lucky enough to open our new branch in a prime location in Stratford. The branch will have access to all of our stock, nationwide, on a next-day service, and offer technical support to contractors from our five specialist brands in pumps, plastics, controls, valves and stainless steel."

Kelvin Liscombe, Buck & Hickman's Managing Director, added: "We are absolutely delighted to be launching a joint branch with our sister division BSS Industrial. Buck & Hickman will be able to provide contractors with next-day access to over 60,000 products, the largest stocked range in the UK, including power tools, hand tools, cutting tools, welding equipment, abrasives and PPE."

The branch will compliment the service offered by the Group's Domestic Division supplier, PTS located just a stone's throw away. And, it will work closely with three other local BSS and Buck & Hickman branches based in Romford, Dagenham and Docklands to ensure that stock levels are maintained for a reliable service.

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