



TIDELAND SIGNAL BUOYS WIN GOLD AT THE VANCOUVER 2010 WINTER OLYMPICS

Tideland Signal Canada Ltd has recently supplied twenty SB-30 lateral marker buoys and three DM-390 buoys for use at the 2010 Winter Olympics.

The SB-30 lateral marker buoys have been positioned in the very busy False Creek area next to downtown Vancouver. Purchased by Transport Canada Marine Branch and installed by the Canadian Coast Guard, the buoys are being used to help control the increased stream of vessel traffic during the 2010 Olympic Games currently taking place in Vancouver.

Constructed from rotationally moulded, UV stabilised polyethylene, the SB-30 lateral marker buoy was designed to offer a reliable and inexpensive buoy system suitable for use in ports, inner harbours, lakes, marinas, inland waterways and rivers. Available in can or conical shapes and with a host of optional extras, the SB-30 is a versatile buoy that was the perfect choice for this project. All twenty buoys are fitted with Tideland solar powered L-120 self-contained lanterns for increased visibility.



SB-30 seen here at False Creek, Downtown Vancouver



DM-390 seen here at Richmond Olympic Oval, Vancouver

In addition to the SB-30s, Tideland supplied three DM-390 buoys for the north arm of the Fraser River that runs alongside the Richmond Olympic Oval speed skating venue. These DM-390s are also fitted with Tideland solar powered L-120 self-contained lanterns. As part of the security effort throughout the games, these buoys will help to secure and protect the waters surrounding the venue.

Tideland Signal Canada Ltd was founded in 1980 to serve the Canadian Coast Guard, Canadian Port and Harbours and offshore oil and gas industry. At this time, Tideland Signal Canada Ltd, working in close co-operation with the Canadian Coast Guard, pioneered the use of polyethylene for manufacturing buoys and together have successfully developed many of the next generation of floating aids to navigation.

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