

PROFILE OF Graham Morphett

Marketing Manager Uretek, India

Graham Morphett was born, raised and received his early education in Sydney, Australia. University education followed at the University of New England, Armidale, NSW where he gained his Bachelor of Arts.

Following a period working for the Prime Minister's Department (Australia), he joined the Construction Industry, first in NSW and then in Queensland.

Concurrently he owned and operated three monthly computer magazines which were sold nationally in Australia.

His early work in the construction industry involved many projects in Guam, Indonesia and across Australia. By 1995 Graham had begun work in Import/Export from China and soon after began his association with Uretek.

In 2002 he began exporting to Thailand from Australia and soon after commenced long term work with Uretek Australia where his role was one of business development, first by expanding the Australian business, then by assisting the growth of the Japanese and New Zealand Uretek businesses and then in 2004 by establishing the Uretek product in Thailand.

In March 2007, with Peter Dance, a long term business partner, he became the Licensee for Uretek in the Indian Sub-continent, embracing India, Sri Lanka, Pakistan, Myanmar and Bangladesh.

With the addition of the Indian sub-continent, Uretek is now established in over 60 countries and regularly services the needs of Port Authorities throughout the world.

Invented in Finland in 1975, the Uretek product is used to re-level concrete pavements; buildings; to fill large voids; and to rebuild soil strength after washouts and other soil based incidents. Using a new process called "Powerpiles" Uretek can pre-compact soil in a matter of a week on jobs that previously took up to two years.

Uretek achieves its results by injecting a resin into the ground which expands immediately. Uretek's resins have a lifting capacity of up to 1000lb/ square inch, so that concrete slabs, railway bridges, buildings of all shapes and sizes, road anchors, crane rails and airport concrete pavements all respond immediately to the product.

Uretek's main advantage is its ability to complete work speedily with minimum impact on the client's other operations. Often jobs which take 2 or 3 months using conventional underpinning, can be done with Uretek in just one day.

Uretek is eco-friendly, guaranteed for 10 years and has a service life of 150 years.

Recent project include the re-alignment of crane rails at both the Port of Chonburi in Thailand and the Port of Sydney Harbour, Rozelle, in Australia.