

MOVING MORE METAL

When John Harkin Vice President of Busby Metals based in New York USA decided to set up a new facility in Reading UK, he already knew what materials handling equipment he required.

John commented "We have a Combilift CB2500CB electric forklift in our New York factory and it has proven to be ideal for our business. We stock speciality metals and alloys in all sizes and shapes and the multi way operation Combilift is capable of moving these long loads whilst also working in narrow aisles. We contacted our authorised Combilift distributor Locators Ltd and were very pleased to find out they also have a Storage Systems division who were able to propose a design for the racking in the new factory."

Michael Grobbelaar, Area Sales Manager for Locators remarked

"When Busby Metals contacted us we did not have to convince them of the many benefits the Combilift offers when compared to a conventional forklift or sideloader. The four way steering gives exceptional manoeuvrability which allows our Storage team to reduce the aisle widths and optimise the racking installation for Combilift operation."

Locators proposed a cantilever racking system to store the bar and tube products. The racking was installed alongside existing pallet racking to make maximum use of the available space and allow for future expansion.

John also added "It has been a real benefit for us to work with one coordinated supplier who has taken responsibility for the complete project and can provide the level of after



sales support we need for our business."

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