

Successful launching of BONNY RIVER in China

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Last Sunday, April 15 2018, DEME's latest trailing suction hopper dredger (TSHD) BONNY RIVER was successfully launched at Royal IHC's partner yard COSCO Guangdong Shipyard in China. The trailing suction hopper dredger has a capacity of 15,000 m³ and a maximum dredging depth of 102 meters.

The BONNY RIVER is a technically smart designed hopper dredger. The vessel combines various functions, such as the ability to dredge hard soil with its Heavy Duty suction tube combined with the ability to reach great depths with its XXL tube.

Environmentally friendly aspects such as minimizing turbulence with its closed process water circuit, installation of dual-fuel engines and CLEANSHIP & Green Passport notation make BONNY RIVER a versatile TSHD. This green flagship for DEME is ready to carry out the most demanding projects with minimal impact on the environment.

This successful launching is an important milestone in the construction process of the BONNY RIVER. In the coming weeks, the ship will be commissioned and put into operation.



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Profile Royal IHC

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We are a reliable supplier of innovative and efficient equipment, vessels and services for the offshore, dredging and wet mining markets. With a history steeped in Dutch shipbuilding since the mid-17th Century, we have in-depth knowledge and expertise of engineering and manufacturing high-performance integrated vessels and equipment, and providing sustainable services. From our head office in The Netherlands and with 3,000 employees working from sites and offices on a global basis, we are able to ensure a local presence and support on every continent.

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