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NEWSPAPER PRINTERS RELY ON MEMS FOR PLANNED & EMERGENCY POWER



MEMS Power Generation have been the preferred supplier for planned and temporary rental power solutions for Newsfacts International at their Dagenham operation since April 2007.

Newsfacts have been printing newspapers for over 20 years and their relocation to a bespoke constructed Dagenham plant early in 2007 has enabled production to continue under one roof instead of their previous occupation of five separate premises thus providing more effective management and increased efficiency.

The new site has been set up with the assistance of the London Development Agency to move businesses out of London in preparation for the infrastructure of the 2012 Olympic Games.

We have used MEMS on three separate occasions, firstly during the installation of our new presses at our new site in Rainham, and twice following installation when there were major failures in the power grid.

The service we received from MEMS Power Generation was outstanding, the delivery time was less than two hours from the initial telephone conversation, rapidly followed by their technician's who had our power up and running smoothly within four hours of the original call-out.

To deliver, setup and install such heavy duty generators (total of 2.5MW) within four hours is truly impressive and worthy of any recommendation. **Ian Montgomery, IT Manager.**

Although Newsfacts had effectively moved into their new premises commissioning of the printing presses was still required together with further bespoke works to the fabric of the building which could only be facilitated during occupation.

MEMS relationship with Newsfacts began with the planned supply of 1250kVA and 500kVA rental generators for the Uniset Printing Press. Followed a month later with an additional 1250kVA unit for the Crondman Printing Press and a further 2 generators; 180kVA and 100kVA to power the building services.

In summary a total of 3280kVA of power was supplied for the planned works to the premises and plant. However, due to the infancy of the site Newsfacts encountered breaks in their power supply on two separate occasions. In both instances following a call into the MEMS 24/7 control room rental power was supplied within 3 hours which included the delivery and full installation of 3000kVA of power.

Response times are critical to Newsfacts with any interruption in power resulting in at least a 4 hour downtime period due to the volume of resetting required to bring the equipment back on-line.

MEMS supplied remote monitoring and fuel management for all of the above projects to ensure the continuity of the supply during the rental period.