## NEW SILVERSTAR CASINO WATERPROOFED WITH a.b.e. PRODUCTS

a.b.e. Construction Chemicals supplied an extensive range of its specialised waterproofing products for the new Silverstar Casino, Hotel and Spa near Krugersdorp.

a.b.e. Technical Sales Consultant, Roland Chonowitz, who handled the contract specifications, says the R5 million a.b.e. waterproofing materials supplied consisted of:

- abedex 4mm for exposed roofs (15 723sq m) and tanking (3 424sq m);
- Index Unigum Biarmato 3mm, Defend H and abedrain 20P for roof gardens and planter boxes (2 100sq m);
- Helasta P for expansion joints; and
- bituprime and silvakote coatings for torch-on membranes.

"a.b.e. also played a consulting/advisory role during the 18-month contract, handled by our approved waterproofing contractor, Storm Isichotho Waterproofing Systems. This company has been handling a.b.e. waterproofing applications for 25 years," Chonowitz stated.

The architects for the Silverstar Casino project were Northpoint, in association with Trilogy, and Prism architects. The principal project agent was SIP Projects Managers; the quantity surveyors, SM Schneid; and the main contractor, Grinaker LTA.

The R1 billion Silverstar Casino complex is over 55 000sq m in size. Its Musical Fountain – a spectacular fountain and lake – was constructed at a cost of R50 million and is the second largest of its kind in the world. Silverstar Hotel consists of 38 rooms, overlooking the spectacular fountain, lake and boardwalk. The complex's Soulstice Spa was opened in June this year and features 15 treatment rooms and a wellness centre.

## Ends

Caption: The Silverstar Casino, Hotel and Spa near Krugersdorp were waterproofed with a wide range of a.b.e. Construction Chemicals products.

## **Ends**

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