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Anchored in Innovation: Bardex® introduces the Barmoor™ Quick Connector

GOLETA, CALIF., March 14, 2024 – Bardex, a global leader in engineered solutions and products for heavy lifting, large-vessel transfer, and other challenging marine-based applications, announced today their BarMoor™ Quick Connector, a novel mooring connector for use in the Offshore Wind and Oil/Gas Industries. The connectors are a simpler, cost effective, more reliable alternative to others on the market. Based upon the Bardex BarLatch™ Fairlead Chain Stopper, the first set of BarMoor™ Quick Connectors were installed in December 2023.

Advantages include:

- Reduced project risk
- · Reduced installation time
- Cost effectiveness with a lightweight design
- An industrialized scale of production for mooring connectors for fast delivery
- The component parts are simple, can be produced in mass quantity and do not have highly precision machined parts making them more reliable and less prone to fabrication defects or assembly errors.

Bardex designs, builds, and supports engineering systems and propriety products to meet the marine industry's toughest – and heaviest – challenges. Its products and services focus on mooring and tensioning; shiplift and transfer; launch and recovery of chain jack lift systems; SCR and pipeline riser pull-in; skidding; load handling; and rig leveling and restraining. The company's key markets include defense and commercial shipyards, oil and gas, and offshore wind.

You can find more information regarding the BarMoor™ Quick Connector here.

Bardex's Quality Management System is ISO 9001 registered. Their OmniLift™ Floater/Maintenance Vessel Launch and Recovery System was named a 2023 Ventus Awards Innovation of the Year Finalist.

You can visit their website at https://www.bardex.com/.

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