

## Delaval Drain Keys Launches 21st Century Manhole Lifting Keys

*North-East Company Delaval Drain Keys introduce a new range of 21st century ergonomically designed manhole lifting keys to the drainage and construction industry after 6 years of extensive research and development. Realising the problems that engineers encounter whilst lifting manhole covers DDK have manufactured 4 ranges of manhole lifting keys that incorporate a patent applied innovative interchangeable tip-end system that also incorporates extension handles and jacking facilities.*

With over 20 years engineering background Managing Director, Andrew Doris, designed the new manhole lifting



keys with health and safety being the most important issue in mind to ensure maximum care and safety to the end user. Our own market research clearly shows us that a very high percentage of engineers encounter problems whilst lifting manhole covers on a daily basis and have concerns relating to back strains and insufficient amounts of

tooling available for what should be such a simple operation.

The Delaval Drain Key lifting range is all constructed from stainless steel, which eliminates rust and leads to longer life. Complete with comfortable handle grips and the introduction of the new interchangeable tip-end system, engineers have the option to choose which key tip is suitable for the correct drain eyelet. With the option of extension handle and bottle jack it is simple to convert a set of manhole lifting keys into a 2 ton popping machine that is able to pop those stuck fast drain covers.

Delaval Drain Keys have introduced 4 ranges to ensure the end user has their preferred choice, whether it be a small, medium or large key. Each product is of top quality and packaged in a foam-inserted carry case for easy storage and transporting to and from sites. ■