Biggest order for press brakes



TRUMPF UK has received its biggest ever order for CNC press brakes. A total of nine TruBend Series 5000 press brakes have been ordered by sheet metal subcontractor, KMF, in Newcastle-under-Lyme. Keith Nicholl, business improvement manager at KMF, explains that simplicity of set-up, speed of tool change and repeatability were driving factors: "During trials, we found that the TRUMPF press brake could reduce a complicated multi-bend set-up from 40 to less than 5min. This, along with the confidence we have from our experience of using TRUMPF punch and laser systems, convinced us that this was the right choice."

KMF has ordered seven 2.5m bed TruBend models (85t capacity) and two 3m bed models (130t capacity).

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