



SEP announces the opening of the UK's first Spectra Precision Geo-Instrument Authorised Service Centre.

With a background of 30 years' experience supplying Surveyors, Site Engineers and equipment, SEP is uniquely placed to offer a specialist repair and servicing solution at their new service centre, based in Lancashire.

As their own workforce of Surveyors and Engineers has grown, the need for reliable surveying equipment has evolved naturally into sales and hire of top quality products, and of course, the need to service them quickly and efficiently. Since 2013 SEP has been an authorised Spectra Precision, Nikon and Trimble supplier, offering the very best geo-instrument, precision tools and accessories available on the market today.

Joe Johnson, the Managing Director of SEP explains: "After extensive planning and consultation, in cooperation with Spectra/Trimble, we located suitable premises for a brand-new state of the art workshop and service centre, and built it to Trimble specifications to provide a bespoke facility for calibration, servicing and repair."

Specialist Trimble tooling for diagnostic, repair and calibration of Spectra Precision geo-instruments to manufacturers standards has been installed. This means that repairs can be accomplished in the UK, instead of being shipped to Germany, thus enabling a much quicker turnaround for clients and an exceptional standard of service from start to finish. The new facility is in Lancashire, within a few minutes of SEP's existing four other offices. It is situated close to major motorway networks making it ideal for expediting speedy collection and delivery of equipment for sales, hire, repair and servicing.

The Service Technicians based at the new facility have been trained in Germany by Trimble to work on a range of Spectra total stations, GNSS solutions, data collectors and lasers. This training is an ongoing process as new technology and products are constantly being improved and developed, ensuring that specialist knowledge is always up to date. The combination of equipment and training has resulted in SEP becoming a Spectra Authorised Service Partner as well as being an Authorised Dealer.

This new facility solidifies SEP's unique position to provide a complete range of services to the Surveying and Engineering industry throughout the UK. SEP are already well known for their commitment to quality, with an excellent reputation for providing the best products and personnel for a wide variety of projects around the UK. SEP has become one of the largest independent companies in its field, working on major UK-wide building and infrastructure projects such as the new Royal Liverpool University Hospital, the Manchester Metro link, M8/M74/M73 improvements near Glasgow, Liverpool One and Canary Wharf in London. From its headquarters in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, it now controls four service areas; personnel, surveying, products and drainage. With the new capacity to provide in house expert repairs to geo- instruments, SEP is now in an excellent position to provide a more efficient service to all its clients.

The SEP company philosophy to change, adapt and never stand still is exemplified in this new exciting development which will now provide a one stop solution for all their client's projects.