Pipebursting is a method by which fracturable pipes, such as concrete, clay, or cast iron pipes, can be replaced by plastic pipes of the same or larger size without using boring or open cut construction methods. During operation, a pipe bursting machine is pulled through the old pipe, breaking the pipe into pieces, and pulling a new plastic pipe into place behind the machine. British Gas, plc., the pipe bursting patent owner, developed the product in the UK. It licenses operators and equipment suppliers on a non-exclusive basis. Pipe bursting is one of the leading “No Dig” technologies for replacing old and undersized sewers. Keywords: soil, trenchless, rehab, retrofit.

Contact: Jim Hopwood
Organization: British Gas plc.
Address: 7105 Business Park Drive
City: Houston
State/Province: TX
Postal Code: 77041
Country: USA
Phone No: 713-849-6322
FAX: 713-937-0740
URL:
Email: