Lumens PTZ cameras allow live streaming to assist in sports training

Site: UZSC (Netherlands’ swimming club)

Lumens PTZ cameras are capable of remote directional and zoom control. Professional PTZ cameras are used in video conferencing, lecture capture and distance learning; however, very few are suitable for live production, such as during sporting events, in an affordable price range with adequate functions. This is because, for this purpose, cameras are not only required to have a high resolution, but also require remote control and fluidity of motion.

Lumens PTZ cameras offer extremely robust functions suitable for remote control in real time. Set-up is simple, and these cameras capture all the potential action from every corner of the arena. Accurate preset positions are stored in the camera, which performs at a fast speed to deliver professional results. This function is especially useful for repetitive events that occur at certain positions of the arena.

UZSC is the largest and oldest swimming club of the city of Utrecht in the Netherlands, and trains athletes play water polo at the top level. As it requires reliable equipment to support live broadcasting for training purposes, the club has recently installed Lumens PTZ cameras for live streaming of water polo games.

Roland Verhoeven, Head of IT at UZSC, says that the PTZ function of Lumens PTZ cameras is the most-used feature, and in addition, the
cameras have the ability to store presets for rapid switching to frequently-used game and training positions (e.g., for goals), which is very useful and often used. He added, “the cameras have greatly improved the efficiency of the training”.

Verhoeven says, “the quality and features of the Lumens cameras are excellent with respect to the price. The commitment of Lumens during the pre-sales phase also helped a lot. We are very happy with the cameras as-is.”

Streaming live sports has grown in popularity over the past few years, and PTZ cameras have become the best sports solutions for live streaming. UZSC is a great success story in terms of their use of Lumens PTZ cameras for the live streaming of sporting activities. The Lumens camera system not only enhances the quality of training, but also allows clubs to take their sporting activities to a worldwide audience.