

Logwin in the Netherlands: air and sea freight services now available from a single source

Grevenmacher (Luxembourg) – The international logistics service provider Logwin is now offering its air and sea freight services in the Netherlands directly. It has terminated cooperation with its former partner company. "As we are now offering our complete range of services from a single source, our customers will benefit from even more transparency and improved, globally standardized processes", explains Hauke Müller, Managing Director Region Europe Middle East at the Logwin business segment Air + Ocean. "At the same time, by restructuring our activities in the Netherlands, we are making a significant contribution to the productivity and cost efficiency of the whole group."

The business segment Air + Ocean in the Netherlands is headed by Country Director Marc Wijnen. Logwin currently has three locations of its own there. Some 90 employees provide comprehensive logistical services for customers from various sectors such as the automobile industry and the medical sector. Besides freight management, these also include warehousing and value added services.

"An important component of our strategy is being able to rely on our own network of locations around the world – with our new country organization in India being the latest example", says Helmut Kaspers, COO of the business segment Air + Ocean of Logwin AG. "Cooperation with partner companies does offer some opportunities, but also increases the risks, which we wish to minimize in the current economic environment. We are convinced that our path towards self-reliance is the right one."

About Logwin AG

As an external partner, Logwin AG, Grevenmacher (Luxembourg), develops a comprehensive range of logistics and service solutions for trade and industry. In 2008, the group generated sales of 2.0 billion euros and currently employs approximately 8,100 staff in 45 countries. Logwin operates in all main markets worldwide and has over 400 locations across all continents. With its three business segments Solutions (customer-oriented contract logistics), Air + Ocean (global air and ocean freight forwarding activities) and Road + Rail (land and special transportation activities in Central, Western and Eastern Europe), Logwin is one of the market leaders.

The Logwin business segment Air + Ocean is represented at over 200 locations, of which 98 are wholly-owned, on all five continents. Around 1,900 employees provide air and sea freight transport as well as specially tailored and complex logistics solutions. The focus of their international engagement is in Europe, Asia, Australia, South America and South Africa. The global network is reinforced by partnerships and cooperation agreements, which include membership of the sea freight cooperation Group 99 and the air freight cooperation FUTURE.

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