

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Less-than-truckload transport for frozen goods**

#### **STI Freight Management offers a new LTL service**

*Duisburg, 4th September 2017.* The logistics provider STI Freight Management is expanding its service for less-than-truckload (LTL) transport. From now on, two LTL transports for frozen goods per week will be traveling from North Rhine Westphalia in Germany and from the Netherlands to Spain. The routes have fixed departure times and guarantee the fastest possible transport of deliveries – especially for between one and six pallets. “Our clients demand speed, reliability and flexibility. We have tailored our unique LTL services to fully meet the high demands of the food and pharmaceutical industry,” says Cesar Vega, Managing Director of STI Spain. “The delivery time from the Ruhr Area to Madrid is guaranteed at just three days – this is very close to the times offered by extremely expensive courier services.”

STI exclusively uses its own fleet of modern trucks for the first two LTL routes for frozen goods. A digital tracking and tracing system specially configured for STI allows for the cooling chain of each individual pallet to be controlled exactly for the duration of the transport. Sensors provide uninterrupted monitoring and documentation of the necessary temperature in the trailers. In the event of any deviations, a GPS-driven system automatically alerts the driver and expeditor.

STI’s LTL service for frozen goods fulfils the high safety and quality standards in all of Europe. STI uses its affiliate HAVI’s facilities for temporary storage along the way. The Lead Logistics Provider has over 65 distribution centers throughout Europe for frozen, chilled and dry goods.

On top of that, STI Freight Management is further expanding its European LTL network for goods in all temperature categories. This service gives food producers and dealers the possibility to book flexible amounts of freight with short lead times. “The trucks

run at fixed prices from just one palette. This makes for significant cost reductions for smaller delivery quantities when compared with full loads”, explains Cesar Vega.

### **About STI Freight Management**

Around 284,500 national and international overland transports, 7,460 air and sea journeys, as well as 28,540 customs clearances per year. That’s the best way to describe STI Freight Management GmbH’s business, headquartered in Duisburg, Germany. Behind these facts is one of Europe’s leading contract logistics companies – STI Freight Management has been specialized in the handling and planning of complex transport and logistics projects since 1983. An affiliate of HAVI Global Logistics and Martin-Brower UK Holdings Ltd., STI employs 221 people at 12 locations. In addition to the international transport of food and other temperature-sensitive goods, such as high-quality pharmaceuticals, the company also supplies cruise liners and provides warehousing and customs clearance as well.

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