

EMS Ship Supply

New structure approved in EMS Ship Supply group

EMS Ship Supply is currently the leading provider of consumables, food and marine goods to merchant, cruise and ferry fleets, catering companies, fishing vessels, military customers and offshore facilities around the world. With branch offices in 17 countries it is the world leader in ship supply.

The company has recently undergone a very important conversion of debt into equity that leaves an impeccable balance sheet. Based on this additional strength, the Management Team has agreed to make several Management Changes within EMS in order to assure an even better focus on the prime priority tasks which exists within the company.

One of the objectives to be reached going forward includes a cost-cutting program that shall help the company navigate through the turbulent waters that 2012 poses in front of most maritime-linked businesses.

With the aim to enhance profitability, Per Lökkegaard -former VP Sales & Marketing- has been asked to focus especially on the Dutch branch of the company. He will continue as CEO Iberia, where the company has a dominant position in the markets of Spain, Portugal and Gibraltar.

Peter Machado, in addition to his leading Seven Seas Group as he has done for several years, will assume responsibility of the American branch, located in Houston, Texas. Kjetil Gulliksen, VP Asia Pacific, will take responsibility of the German and Norwegian offices, and thus concentrate the activity on the EMS Products business division (former Strömme).

Given his vast expertise in the financial field, Kjell Simonsen has agreed to lead the department of internal business controlling in order to assure an even greater transparency and focus on the business. Until now, Kjell's prime task has been the setup of a Global Supply Chain.

"We believe that these changes will contribute to a strong enhancement of the results during 2012", says Morten Persen, CEO of the EMS Group.

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