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ID LOGISTICS OPENS A HIGH-PERFORMANCE SITE IN SAINT-CARADEC (22)

ID Logistics, a leading group in contract logistics in France and abroad, announces the opening of the new site pooling the logistics activities of various brands of a leading player in the DIY sector in Saint-Caradec (22). This 50,000 m² site, built and operated by ID Logistics, is BREEAM Very Good certified and concentrates multiple state-of-the-art equipment and innovations.



Saint-Caradec site. ©ID Logistics

A SITE COMBINING COMFORT AND RESPECT FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

This new 50,000 m² site includes 55 dock doors and offers a storage capacity of approximately 32,000 pallets, handling 220,000 packages per year. It has the possibility of extension in the event of a possible increase in activity.

Certified BREEAM Very Good, the Saint-Caradec site is equipped with a 30,000 m² photovoltaic panel roof, LED lighting with presence detection, a rainwater recovery system and insect shelters. Improvements have been made for the comfort of employees: skylights, white paint on the wall to provide light, a state-of-the-art refectory and break room, sunshades, etc.

A MUTUALIZED ORGANIZATION FOCUSED ON THE FUTURE

In order to optimize the activities, ID Logistics integrated a single Warehouse Management System (WMS) in order to manage both the references specific to each of the brands and the current and future common references.

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Other approaches and innovations are in line with this pooling:

- An **artificial intelligence sizing solution** to integrate new products into the common nomenclature and optimize their storage according to their measurements, weights, etc. This solution ensures reliability and time savings.
- The integration of a **continuous improvement approach**, from the beginning of the warehouse's operation, is encouraged by digital animations using the **AIC** (Short Interval Animation) program, set up to involve all the site's employees.
- **Simplified management of the flow of trucks** thanks to a dedicated tool that ensures an optimization of on-site safety and flows by digitizing the guard post, always under the control of the fleet driver.
- A **fleet of trucks running 100% on lithium batteries**, to reduce electricity consumption and simplify on-site maintenance.

A ROBUST METHODOLOGY FOR A SMOOTH START

As an expert in the DIY market, ID Logistics was able to count on a project team capable of quickly adapting to the logistics challenges of this sector. This expertise brought fluidity and efficiency from the development phase of the project.

Thirty-two new arrivals on permanent contracts have joined the site, benefiting from the integration and training programs provided by the logistics company to all its employees. For this project, a complementary training system has been set up. Indeed, for three months, the 32 employees are supported on a daily basis by a trainer operating on one of the other ID Logistics sites for the same client. This approach is made possible by their long-standing collaboration. The teams thus integrate customer processes smoothly and ensure a quick start to the job for a gentle start.

Eventually, 60 people will work on a daily basis on the Saint-Caradec site. ID Logistics is supported by France Travail to promote local recruitment and targeted at a pool of jobs in the 31 surrounding municipalities.

"The opening of this site represents much more than just an expansion of our operations with our client's brands: it is the result of a long-standing collaboration and allows us to maximize synergies, optimize resources to respond even more effectively to our customers' requests. We are delighted with this renewed confidence, and we are fully committed to the operational success of this new site."

- **Eric Hémar, Chairman of the ID Logistics Group**



ABOUT ID LOGISTICS:

ID Logistics, managed by Eric Hémar, is an international contract logistics group with revenues of €2.75 billion in 2023. ID Logistics manages nearly 400 sites in 18 countries, representing more than 8 million sq.m. operated in Europe, America, Asia and Africa, with 38,000 employees.

With a customer portfolio balanced between retail, e-commerce and consumer goods, ID Logistics is characterized by offers involving a high level of technology. Since its creation in 2001, the Group has developed a social and environmental approach through a number of original projects and is now firmly committed to an ambitious CSR policy. ID Logistics shares are listed on the Euronext regulated market in Paris and are included in the SBF 120 index (ISIN code: FR0010929125, Mnemo: IDL).