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Inapal Plasticos Chose Yusen Logistics Tamworth for Sub Assembly

Yusen Logistics has been awarded a contract for the UK linefeed preparation services for Inapal Plasticos.

Inapal, the Portugal based supplier of spoilers and boot lids, was looking for a tailored sub assembly and sequence picking service, with delivery into the Jaguar plant at Castle Bromwich on a just-in-time basis.

Complete IT visibility was an essential feature for Inapal, with the Yusen Logistics system providing stock traceability and alert messaging in real time for the sequence picking and despatch operation.

This operation requires the utmost handling care, with Inapal's boot lids and spoilers destined for the new Jaguar Convertible F Type supplied on special bespoke stillages. In addition to the sub assembly operation, the Yusen Logistics service also includes quality assurance activities.

The operation is based at Yusen Logistics' Tamworth automotive centre. Adjacent to the M42, the 81,000 sq ft site is strategically located to serve major automotive manufacturers with assembly facilities in the Midlands. The facility is supported by Yusen Logistics forwarding control tower operations, with volumes arriving by air, sea and road.

The Tamworth operation was developed further to requests from first and second tier suppliers for decanting, crossdocking, stockholding and sequencing operations in readiness for line-feed into the assembly process on a just-in-time basis.

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Notes to Editors:

ABOUT YUSEN LOGISTICS

Yusen Logistics is a leading provider of contract logistics and air/ocean freight forwarding. As of incorporation on 1st April 2011, the company's European region employs some 4,000 employees and operates 98 facilities with over 830,000 m2 of warehousing space throughout Europe, from Spain to Russia. The global headquarters of Yusen Logistics is Tokyo, with other regional headquarters for East Asia, South Asia/Oceania and the Americas.

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