

MacAndrews Announces New Product – Roll-On / Roll-Off (RORO) service between Spain (Bilbao) and the UK (Poole)

MacAndrews, the leading Iberian multimodal transport provider announced today the launch of a new Door to Door product using a Roll-On / Roll-Off (RORO) service between Bilbao and Poole.

The new service called [MACPAK](#) provides a door to door transit time of 4 days between Spain and UK which opens up more opportunities for the fresh produce exporters in Murcia, Valencia and Almeria.

The new service operates with two roro sailings a week from Bilbao to Poole departing every Monday and Thursday arriving Poole every Tuesday and Saturday respectively.

MACPAK's premium 4 day door to door service is an enhancement to MacAndrews 7 multimodal LoLo (Lift On / Lift Off) departures per week from Bilbao connecting Spain with the UK, Eire, NWC, Scandinavia, Baltic States, Finland and Russia.

The new service provides customers a reduction in their carbon footprint between eg Murcia and Birmingham of 4.5 tonnes of [CO₂](#) by avoiding overland trucking through France.

MacAndrews have also appointed a new dedicated RORO Business Development Manager, [Matthew Kirkland](#). Matthew comes from a breadth of experience in the shipping and the port sector.

[Geoffrey Smith](#), CEO of MacAndrews, said: "We are pleased to announce this new product between the Port of Bilbao and the Port of Poole. Both ports' excellent infrastructure and proximity to important markets make them the perfect choice for our business and we are very much looking forward to growing this business activity to enhance frequency as we continue to diversify, grow and increase our market presence"

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Notes to Editor:

MacAndrews & Company Ltd has operated since 1770, offering reliable logistics for centuries. Today, MacAndrews offers customised door to door transport solutions by sea, rail, road and barge offering clients a greener differentiation. Each voyage removes 300 trucks off the roads and saves on average 55% CO₂ per load. We specialise in 45' high cube pallet wide containers offering the same capacity as trailers. We operate in the UK, Ireland, Spain, Portugal, Poland, France, The Netherlands, Scandinavia, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Finland, Denmark and Russia. Our strategy is to link our operations as closely as possible, exploit synergies between them and thus achieve added value in the services we provide. MacAndrews is part of the successful CMA CGM Group, the world's 3rd largest container shipping company.

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	Arrivals	Departures
BIO	Monday 8 am	Monday 2 pm
POO	Tuesday 8 pm	Tuesday 23.59 pm
BIO	Thursday 2 pm	Thursday 8 pm
POO	Saturday 10 am	Saturday 4 pm
BIO	Monday 8 am	