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Cargolux flies major art shipment

Luxembourg, 16 June 2015 – Cargolux Airlines International S.A. has shipped around 190 tons of artworks from New York, Los Angeles and Chicago to Basle, Switzerland for Dietl International a division Rock It Cargo LLC, New York with the coordination of Hasenkamp Luxembourg, both specialized in the transport of artworks. Spread over six flights, the precious cargo was destined for the Art Basel 2015 Expo, that stages the world's premier modern and contemporary art show from 18 to 21 June 2015. With contributions from the world's leading galleries, the annual exhibition includes the highest-quality paintings, sculptures, drawings, installations, photographs, videos and more.

Around 20 trucks organized by Cargolux were used to bring the artworks from Luxembourg to the exhibition halls at Messe Basel. Art Basel 2015 is expected to draw over 90,000 visitors. 284 galleries from 33 countries will show their works on over 31,000 m² of exhibition space.

The shipper took advantage of Cargolux's newly launched CV Precious product that offers detailed care and individual expert treatment for the shipments of art and precious goods, backed with 45 years of unrivalled experience in air cargo.

About Cargolux Airlines International

Cargolux, based in Luxembourg, is Europe's leading all-cargo airline with a modern and efficient fleet composed of 12 Boeing 747-8 freighters and 12 Boeing 747-400 freighters. The Cargolux worldwide network covers 90 destinations, some 70 of which are served on scheduled all-cargo flights. The company has more than 85 offices in over 50 countries, and operates an extensive global trucking network to more than 250 destinations as well as full and part-charter services. Cargolux also offers third-party maintenance at its modern two-bay maintenance hangar in Luxembourg. The company is specialized in B747 line and hangar maintenance up to and including C-Checks. It offers a range of specialized maintenance services and holds line maintenance approval for B777 aircraft. Cargolux employs over 1,500 staff worldwide.

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