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## **CARU Containers improves quality and flexibility of container deliveries by acquiring Fine Link in Shanghai & Hong Kong**

**CARU Containers, a Dutch enterprise, will acquire the Chinese container trader Fine Link as of March 1st. “Through the acquisition of Fine Link, CARU Containers will gain far more control of the global shipment of containers, allowing the company to pinpoint container deliveries even more precisely on behalf of our clients”, according to Rob Tromp, managing director at CARU Containers.**

**“Fine Link has been active in the Chinese market for over 15 years, and has been a business partner of CARU Containers for many years as well.”**

The company will be operating under the names CARU Shanghai and CARU Hong Kong from now on. Both parties intend to maximize the added value of this acquisition with respect to all branches of CARU Containers worldwide. Simon Li is appointed to lead CARU Shanghai and CARU Hong Kong as it goes forward.

CARU Shanghai will make its public debut this month at the Intermodal Asia exhibition, 22 through 24 March in Shanghai.

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Note to editors: CARU Containers was created in 2000 through the merger of three Rotterdam-based companies: CATU Rotterdam (established in 1992), Trade Craft (1984), and Lease Craft (1991). These companies specialized in the sale and lease of containers and storage containers.

CARU Containers has evolved to become the world's largest independent supplier of new and used containers. With branches in the Netherlands, Belgium, Germany, France, Czech Republic, Poland, Sweden, Singapore and the US, CARU Containers generated a turnover of over €120 million in 2015. The company expects to generate a turnover of over €165 million in 2016 as a result of these latest acquisitions.

The Chinese market is one of the world's largest markets for container sales and nearly all containers are produced in China.

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