

XPO Logistics wins major distribution contract with Kingspan Insulation

Northampton (UK) – 26 April 2016 – XPO Logistics has won a multi-million pound contract with Kingspan Insulation Limited, a market-leading manufacturer of premium and high performance rigid insulation products and insulated systems.

Kingspan Insulation is a division of Kingspan Group plc, one of Europe's fastest growing building materials manufacturers, with operations throughout Europe, North America and Australasia.

Kingspan Insulation has a vast product range, including OPTIM-R vacuum insulation, premium performance rigid Kooltherm® insulation and high performance rigid Therma® insulation. The extensive range of products is suitable for a variety of building applications.

Operating from Kingspan's three UK manufacturing centres at Pembridge in Herefordshire, Selby in North Yorkshire, and Basildon in Essex, XPO Logistics will make dedicated product deliveries to companies in the construction sector and to other end-users throughout the UK.

To support this collaboration, XPO Logistics is utilising its shared-user national network and has invested in a new delivery fleet, including vehicle-mounted forklift trucks. Drivers will use state-of-the-art, in-cab technology to provide full track and trace with a sign-on-glass system for real-time proof of delivery.

Neil Palfreeman, logistics manager – UK and Ireland, for Kingspan Insulation, said: "Following a review of our operations, we have chosen XPO Logistics for our UK distribution needs. XPO has clearly demonstrated it has the expertise and innovation we're looking for to provide a cost effective transport solution and improvement strategy throughout the division."

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Richard Cawston, managing director, Supply Chain – UK and Ireland, for XPO Logistics, commented: “We are delighted to have been entrusted with delivering distribution service enhancements for Kingspan Insulation. By combining a dedicated delivery operation and our nationwide logistics platform, we have created a flexible, future-proofed solution.”

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XPO Logistics is a top ten global provider of cutting-edge supply chain solutions to the most successful companies in the world. XPO Logistics has 197 locations in the United Kingdom, including approximately 3.5 million square metres of warehousing, and over 15,000 employees. The company offers comprehensive solutions for transport, global forwarding and logistics, including e-fulfilment, reverse and temperature controlled logistics, VAS, bonded and COMAH warehousing, and the UK’s largest owned ADR pallet network. XPO Logistics serves customers in multiple verticals, including food and beverage, retail, aerospace, automotive, chemicals, high tech, pharmaceuticals, textiles and publishing. uk.xpo.com

XPO’s corporate headquarters is in Greenwich, Connecticut USA, and its European headquarters is in Lyon, France. The company serves more than 50,000 customers worldwide with a highly integrated network of over 89,000 employees and 1,443 locations in 33 countries. XPO Logistics conducts the majority of its European operations through its subsidiary, XPO Logistics Europe SA, in which it holds an 86.25% controlling interest. The remaining stock is traded as GND on Euronext Paris / Euronext London – Isin FR0000052870. xpo.com

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