

FedEx Express Opens New Ground Operations Centre In Barcelona's Zona Franca

*New Facility Features Cutting-Edge Technology for Parcel Sorting and Tracking,
Making Shipment Traceability Even More Accurate*

MADRID, October 10, 2017—FedEx Express, the world's largest express transportation company and a subsidiary of FedEx Corp. (NYSE: FDX), has opened a new ground operations centre in Barcelona. Thanks to its size, capacity and strategic location in the city's Zona Franca, the facility will process both domestic and international shipments, serving as a gateway between the Barcelona region and Europe.

FedEx Express is creating Europe's leading logistics network through strategic investments, and Spain plays a key role in this expansion process. Following FedEx's acquisition of TNT last year, FedEx Express is adding a significant European ground network to its air network already operating in Europe and worldwide, providing more opportunities for customers to reach even more destinations, faster.

The new ground operations centre is located in the industrial area of Zona Franca, one of Spain's largest and most dynamic industrial areas. The new facility, which is situated next to international transportation infrastructure, has a gross floor area of 16,905 m², of which 14,505 m² of warehouse space and 2,400 m² of offices. The land belongs to Cilsa, the public-private partnership that manages the Zona d'Activitats Logístiques (ZAL- Area of Logistics Activities) in the Port of Barcelona, presided by Sixte Cambra.

It is equipped with leading-edge technology, including integrated weight and volume capture systems that provide 360-degree images of all sides of the package, thus increasing traceability. In addition, a state-of-the-art cross-belt sorting system enables processing of up to 10,000 packages per hour. This makes the new Barcelona centre FedEx Express' most advanced facility in Spain.

"We are very proud to open a new facility in Barcelona, which allows us to improve service to both FedEx Express and TNT customers in the region and abroad," said Paloma Romero-Salazar, vice president, Ground Operations, FedEx Express Spain and Portugal.

"We are very excited that a company of the size and relevance of FedEx is now installed in the new area of ZAL Port-Ciutat consolidating Zona d'Activitats Logístiques (ZAL- Area of Logistics Activities) as an strategic logistics hub," said Alfonso Martínez, general director, CILSA.

Furthermore, the cross-dock warehouse has 93 docks for trucks and 120 for vans, spread out along six extended docks throughout the main warehouse, one of the facility's main logistics innovations.

About 280 team members will be employed at the new centre. The facility provides three clearly distinct spaces for parking light vehicles, tractor vehicles and trailers, providing for increased traffic fluidity and safety.

About FedEx Express

FedEx Express is the world's largest express transportation company, providing fast and reliable delivery to every U.S. address and to more than 220 countries and territories. FedEx Express uses a global air-and-ground network to speed delivery of time-sensitive shipments, by a definite time and date with a money-back guarantee.

About CILSA- ZAL Port OF THE PORT OF BARCELONA

CILSA (Center Intermodal of logistics, S.A.) manages the port concession in the area of logistics activities (ZAL Port) of the Port of Barcelona. CILSA is owned by the Port Authority of Barcelona with a 63% share, by MERLIN Properties with 32%, and by “Entidad Pública Empresarial de Suelo” (SEPES) with 5%.

CILSA manages 239 hectares located in the municipalities of Barcelona (69 ha), the Prat del Llobregat (143 ha) and in the CZFV (27 ha), and has built within the ZAL Port a total of 421.500 m² of logistics warehouses. Also, CILSA has granted land rights to clients who have built about 232.000 m² of warehouses, setting up a logistics park of 635,000 m².

The ZAL Port has 565,000 m² of land, available for any logistics need. CILSA has led the development, promotion and marketing of this area since its foundation in 1992, and has been a pioneer in social and environmental action.

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