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Bertling Logistics opens office in Suriname to extend client portfolio in the mining and energy sector

Paramaribo, Suriname – 14.09.2022 – Bertling Logistics has been active in the Americas for many years with own offices in important transport hubs across North and South America. Our business focus in these countries lies in project logistics, resupply, trucking, and shipping/chartering services to, from, and within North and South America to the energy, mining, chemical, infrastructure and renewable sectors.

In the past years, we have seen increasing demand for mining logistics and mining resupply services also outside those countries in which we had established our presence already – especially in central and northeastern South America. Suriname, in particular, has become an important business destination for us, to which we already operate resupply services for some of our mining clients.

Due to the increased demand for logistics services to Suriname and surrounding countries, Bertling is proud to announce that have opened a new office to better serve our clients and to enhance our presence and commitment with the region. The new Surinam office is a branch of our US firm, who will work closely with our Miami, Houston, and Dallas teams.

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By having our own office in the country's capital, we envisage to increase our level of activity in Suriname by further extending our relationships with local transport companies and port operators and overseas clients. We aim to also offer our sophisticated logistics and resupply services to companies in the energy sector doing business in Suriname. Due to our presence, our past logistics and resupply expertise, our varied local subcontractor network and our

extensive in-country forwarding know-how Bertling Logistics is well-positioned to offer end-to-end logistics services to Suriname and surrounding countries.

We had Roberto Prado, who is involved in our commercial activities in Suriname, in country this week to meet with our current and many potential new business partners in this beautiful and economically highly promising country (see picture below).

“We consider Suriname as a country with high potential and growing demand for logistics services”, say Colin Maclsaac, CEO of Bertling Logistics. “We have been operating mining and energy projects in the country for several years and are one of only logistics companies offering both project logistics and logistics resupply services to Suriname”, Maclsaac continues. “All business we operate in Suriname is conducted under highest safety, sustainability, and environmental standards to protect the country’s unique flora and fauna. We have partnered with “Friends of Green Suriname” to underpin our commitment to responsible logistics services to Suriname.”

ABOUT BERTLING

Bertling was founded in Germany more than 157 years ago and has since then developed from a local chartering and ship-owning business to a globally recognized logistics and shipping company offering complex project freight forwarding, GFF and resupply transport solutions as well as worldwide leading ship-owning, chartering and brokerage services to its global clients. Bertling’s value add in-house IT services encompass state-of-the art transport management tools, real-time tracking/tracing, reporting and overall digitalization solutions to build sustainable, highly visible and efficiently-run supply-chains for transports and projects of any scale.

Working with an international network of 50 offices in 30 countries and dedicated partners plus 700 logistics employees, Bertling is ideally positioned to provide end-to-end turnkey logistics and shipping services to the power generation, oil & gas, mining & construction, infrastructure, renewables and petrochemical industry. To Bertling’s highly specialized logistics services also belong Bertling Enviro, Bertling Bulk Liquids, Bertling Class 1 and Bertling Trucking solutions.

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Picture description: Roberto Prado, Bertling Project Manager, in Paramaribo last month