

NYK Group chooses the KSD Security Control System (SCS) to handle the ICS and EXS filing in Europe

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KSD Software is delighted to announce a partnership with NYK Group, one of the largest logistics providers in the world, to support their security filing in Europe.

The EDI connection between KSD and NYK Group will ensure timely and accurate declaration of goods into and out of the European Union. These changes aim to improve the safety and security of imported and exported goods, allowing customs officers to better target controls and to carry out risk assessment prior to the arrival of goods at the EU border.

NYK expects, through their partnership with KSD, they can achieve compliance for all Custom's regulations and requirements within the European Union. KSD provides the most direct communication to Member States within the EU and is already aggressively testing to ensure smooth transition by December 31, 2010.

Briefly about ICS and EXS

Effective January 1, 2011, all carriers (ships, planes and trucks) will be required to electronically declare goods entering or leaving the EU, Switzerland and Norway prior to their arrival. This is a major change for carriers who will have to connect via EDI with Customs authorities within the EU to declare those goods.

About KSD

KSD is a leading developer and supplier in Customs solutions. The company was founded in 1976 and is headquartered in Oslo, Norway. KSD's solutions help companies to streamline their business and to accomplish efficiency improvements within their internal and external supply chain. KSD has two main line of solutions for trade and industry; Customs solutions in different countries throughout the world and Transport Logistics Administration, focusing on external logistics with among others transport booking and freight control. Currently more than 1500 companies are using KSD solutions around the world. KSD solution covers all 29 countries within the European Union.

About NYK

Nippon Yusen Kabushiki Kaisha is one of the world's leading transportation companies. The NYK Group operates approximately 803 major ocean vessels as well as fleets of planes, trains, and trucks. The company's shipping fleet includes around 142 containerhips, 321 bulk carriers, 57 wood-chip carriers, 115 car carriers, 85 tankers, 30 LNG carriers, and 3 cruise ships.

NYK employs about 55,000 people worldwide. The company has offices in 308 locations in 33 countries, warehouses on nearly every continent, and harbor operations in Asia, North America, and Europe. NYK is based in Tokyo, and has regional headquarters in London, New York, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Sydney, and Sao Paulo.

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