

## Viasea launches new office in UK

The Norway based company Viasea opened office in UK on the 4<sup>th</sup> of January this year. The opening is a result of a demand for more capacity between UK and Norway and also a need for moving more traffic off the roads.

The UK branch is now Viasea Shipping Limited, and the new office is based in Immingham. Building up the UK office, Andrew Ellis has joined the company as UK Country Manager Viasea. Andrew is an experienced senior manager, having worked in the shipping industry for over 30 years. He is a specialist in Short Sea shipping, with a background from both the Short and Deep Sea Markets.

- *We are very proud to extend our services further, now opening our own office and company in the UK. This will enable us to take good care of our existing customers, and also build for more business in the UK.* Managing Director Viasea Shipping, Morten Pettersen

Viasea is a fast growing Norway based short sea operator offering fast and reliable door-door solutions in Northern Europe.



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About Viasea; The shipping line Viasea Shipping AS was established in the autumn of 2016, they focus mainly on shortsea services in Europe. The start-up was a fixed, weekly service between Moerdijk (Rotterdam) - Moss and Oslo. In 2018 Viasea expanded their service with a fixed, weekly service from the Baltics to Oslo, via Poland. In addition, port of Kristiansand and Larvik, Norway, was added to the Rotterdam – Oslo service. Viasea is a Norwegian owned company, and is independent of other shipping lines.