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NYK Line (North America) Appoints Sheehy VP Operating Services

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Secaucus, NJ – NYK Line (North America), Inc. is pleased to announce that **Dan Sheehy** is appointed Vice President of Operating Services effective immediately.

A 21-year veteran manager with NYK Line (North America) in both the commercial and operational segments, Dan will now have overall responsibility for marine, terminal, rail and truck operations in North America, in addition to his current responsibility for Customer Service and Export Documentation. He will report to the Executive Offices of Shinji Umehara, Executive Vice President and Bill Payne, President.

Dan has held numerous leadership roles at NYK Line (North America) in the Sales, Operations and Marketing & Trade organizations, including Director, Customer Service Division (2004), Director, Marine Division (2005), Director, Trans-Atlantic Trade (2009), and Senior Director of Customer Service and Documentation Services (2011).

Dan holds a Bachelor of Science degree from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy in Marine Transportation and will be attending Southern New Hampshire University for his MBA with a concentration in Operations and Supply Chain Management. He also holds 3rd and 2nd mate licenses.

About NYK:

Nippon Yusen Kabushiki Kaisha is one of the world's leading transportation companies. At the end of March 2013, the NYK Group was operating 846 major ocean vessels, as well as fleets of planes, trains, and trucks. The company's shipping fleet includes 389 bulk carriers, 126 containerships (including semi-containerships), 120 car carriers, 82 tankers, 51 wood-chip carriers, 28 LNG carriers, 18 heavy-load carriers / conventional ships, three cruise ships, and 43 other ships. NYK's revenue in fiscal 2012 was roughly \$23 billion, and as a group NYK employs about 55,000 people worldwide. 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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