



## Press Release

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# NACCS CO-HOSTED INFORMATION SESSION IN EUROPE WITH DESCARTES ~ ADVANCE FILING RULES ~

**Kawasaki, Japan- 22 April 2013-** We announce today that Nippon Automated Cargo and Port Consolidated System, Inc. (NACCS Center) held the information session regarding Advance Filing Rules in Europe (Antwerp, Belgium and Rotterdam, Netherlands) from 15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> April 2013, co-hosted by Descartes, an overseas service provider.

Please refer to the attachment for details.

For further information, please visit Advance Filing Rules website. NACCS Center opens this site as an integrated information platform of the rules.

Information on operational issues of the rules, list of authorized service providers, and information on 'Advance Filing Rules Educational Seminars' at major cities in the world will be available on this site.

<http://www.naccscenter.com/afr/>

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## 1. Introduction of Business Partner

The Descartes Systems Group Inc. (Waterloo, Canada) and NACCS Center concluded service provider agreement regarding Advance Filing Rules on 30 November 2012 as the first service provider. Descartes and NACCS Center are business partners to carry out the system construction regarding Advance Filing Rules, and co-host information sessions in Europe, US and China.

- Press Release on concluding service provider agreement  
[http://www.naccscenter.com/afr/file/e/press\\_release\\_descartes.pdf](http://www.naccscenter.com/afr/file/e/press_release_descartes.pdf)
- Contact points of Descartes  
[http://www.naccscenter.com/afr/file/e/list\\_of\\_authorized\\_service\\_providers.pdf](http://www.naccscenter.com/afr/file/e/list_of_authorized_service_providers.pdf)

## 2. Overview of Information Session

NACCS Center and Descartes made presentations on the system operation, roles of service provider, and application process of Reporter ID regarding Advance Filing Rules, followed by Q&A session. Various inquiries from general matters to technical ones were made.

### (1) Information Sessions

《 Antwerp 》

- ① Date: 16 April 2013, 14:00-16:00  
\* Date is based on local time. (hereinafter the same)
- ② Venue: Antwerp Port House
- ③ Participants: Approx. 20 companies of Carriers and NVOCCs



## 《 Rotterdam 》

- ① Date: 17 April 2013, 14:00-17:00
- ② Venue: World Port Center Rotterdam
- ③ Participants: Approx. 20 companies of Carriers and NVOCCs



## (2) Individual Seminars

- ① Date: 16,18 April 2013
- ② Place: Antwerp and Rotterdam
- ③ Companies:
  - 《 Antwerp 》
    - DHL Global Forwarding (UK) Ltd.
  - 《 Rotterdam 》
    - Maersk Line

## (3) Local Press Interview

- ① Date: 15 April 2013
- ② Place: Antwerp (Phone Interview)
- ③ Media:
  - American Journal of Transportation