MEDITERRANEAN EXPANSION

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Acquisition of U.N. Ro-Ro

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The statements about the future in this announcement contain elements of risk and uncertainty. Actual developments must therefore diverge significantly from the statements about the future.

KEY STRATEGIC RATIONALE FOR DFDS' ACQUISITION OF U.N. RO-RO

- Expansion of route network to include high growth region increasing market diversification
- Leading operator of freight ferry routes with strong market position connecting EU and Turkey
- Similarities in business model and fleet create opportunities for synergies
- Increased flexibility of fleet deployment in route network as well as synergies in vessel investments
- Highly profitable company with 42% EBITDA margin in 2017
- Earnings enhancing and accretive from the first year







TRANSACTION OVERVIEW

Purchase Price	 DFDS will acquire 98.8% of U.N. Ro-Ro on a debt free basis of EUR 950m 9.8x 2018E EV/EBITDA compares favorably to recent industry transactions
Financing	 Committed term loan financing Share issue of DKK 1.0bn with Lauritzen Foundation participating pro-rata Share buyback and planned dividend cancelled NIBD/EBITDA expected to increase to around 2.5x
Approvals/ Closing	 The transaction is subject to customary approvals, including approvals from all the relevant competition authorities The transaction is expected to close in June 2018



OVERVIEW OF U.N. RO-RO



WE ARE ACQUIRING A LEADING FERRY FREIGHT OPERATOR IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

Business overview

- Established in 1994, U.N. Ro-Ro is the #1 Ro-Ro operator in Turkey in terms of market share, number and capacity of vessels
- The company has a 33% market share of Turkey-Europe exports, twice that of the next competitor
- The company operates 5 routes between Turkey and France/Italy with a fleet of 12 modern Ro-Ro vessels
- U.N. Ro-Ro's operation is based on an intermodal setup, combining land, sea and railways for trucks
- The Company caters to the international transport companies, importers and exporters in Turkey

Business is **EUR denominated**, minimising exposure to the volatility in Turkish Lira

Key statistics					
Vessels	12 (total capacity of 45.4km lanemeters)				
Ports	Owns Pendik and Trieste Port ⁽¹⁾ , operates in Ambarli, Toulon, Mersin and Bari				
Fleet age	11 years				
Market share	33% between Turkey and EU				

P&L (€m)	2014A	2015A	2016A	2017A
Total Revenues	195,1	192,8	185,2	224,7
EBITDA	72,9	84,4	81,2	94,3
Margin	37%	44%	44%	42%
EBIT	31,2	46,2	47,0	66,6
Margin	16%	24%	25%	30%

- In 2013 the largest customer (EKOL Logistics) started own ro-ro service and switched all its captive cargo to own ships
- Slight underperformance in 2016 due to two engine break-downs



INTERESTING AND GROWING INTERMODAL NETWORK INTO EUROPE



(1) U.N. Ro-Ro owns 60% of Port of Trieste's operator (Samer Seaports Company), owns the company that has the concession agreement

(2) Pendik port is fully owned

Source: U.N. Ro-Ro

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ATTRACTIVE GROWTH PROFILE DESPITE PAST POLITICAL VOLATILITY

Turkey vs Western Europe real GDP growth

- Turkey is among the world's top 20 economies with a population of 81m
- Turkey is a high-growth market, average historical real GDP growth of 5.2% vs 1.5% for Western Europe
- **Expected to grow ~4%** on average over the coming years vs. 1.8% for Western Europe





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EU IS IMPORTANT AND BALANCED TRADE PARTNER WITH TURKEY

Turkey's top trade partners (2017)



Key highlights

- 308k freight units exported from Turkey to Europe in 2017 by road and ferry double of 2007 volume
- Ferry expected to continue to gain market share vs. road in coming years due to
 - Transit time and costs
 - Border crossings and customs formalities
 - Security issues
 - Permit and visa issues
 - Limited investments in road infrastructure
 - Congestion
- Ferry's share of total market increased from 49% in 2013 to 55% in 2017
- U.N. Ro-Ro share of ferry segment was 61% in 2017

Export freight from Turkey to Europe





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GEOGRAPHIC NETWORK EXPANSION WITH SYNERGIES

Sales growth	 Land conversion and organic market growth Additional capacity driving additional volumes and lower unit costs
Customer and sales	 Intermodal solutions offering synergy opportunities to existing DFDS network Wider network and range of services to existing customers Strong base for business development in adjacent markets
Enhanced fleet flexibility	 Flexibility of vessel deployment on both new and existing routes New DFDS vessel design optimal for U.N. Ro-Ro capacity expansion
Operational synergies	 Integration of Mediterranean activities Integration into DFDS core operating systems Sales agency and back-office system integration
Financial impact	 EBITDA in 2017 of EUR 94m expected to increase by EUR 30m in 2021



FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



DFDS AND U.N. RO-RO COMBINED

The acquisition of U.N. Ro-Ro will provide a substantial addition to The DFDS Group's key metrics

DKK million ⁽¹⁾	X DFDS		U.N. RO-RO işletmeleri a.ş.		Combined (pro forma)
2017 revenue	14,328	+	1,673	=	16,001 (+12%)
2017 EBITDA	2,702	+	702	=	3,404 (+26%)
# of employees	7,235	+	500	=	7,735 (+7%)
# of vessels	64	+	12	=	76 (+19%)

(1) For illustrative purposes only. Based on an EURDKK exchange rate of 7.45

14 Source: Company filings



INVESTMENTS FORESEEN TO FACILITATE U.N. RO-RO GROWTH

2 vessel lengthenings in 2018 to increase capacity

Scrubber investments to comply with 2020 IMO legislation

Expansion of current terminals to accommodate growing volumes

Fleet renewal to increase efficiency and capacity









REVISED OUTLOOK FOR 2018⁽¹⁾

 Revenue for the full year 2018 is expected to grow by 8% (2%)

 EBITDA before special items is expected to increase to DKK 3,000–3,200m (2,650-2850m)

Investments of DKK 5bn (1.1bn)







FINANCING STRUCTURE IN LINE WITH CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Capital structure considerations

- Shareholder pay-out cancelled for rest of 2018
 - Cancel ongoing share buyback program
 - Suspend the planned DKK 7.00 dividend in August
- 5% share issue or DKK 1.0bn
- Lauritzen Foundation participates pro rata in the share issue
- Review of capital structure and hence capital distribution for 2019 in connection with the release of the Q4 and year-end report in February 2019
- NIBD/EBITDA of 2.5x upon completion of the acquisition

Acquisition financing

- DFDS existing banks have committed Term loan financing of the transaction
- EUR 480m loans in U.N. Ro-Ro with U.N. Ro-Ro vessel mortgage
- EUR 370m unsecured acquisition facility



SUMMARY: MEDITERRANEAN EXPANSION THROUGH U.N. RO-RO

- Access to attractive and growing Ro-Ro market including platform for further expansion
- Highly profitable operator with strong management and market position
- Expands DFDS' customer proposition
- Opportunity to apply DFDS' capabilities to further develop U.N. Ro-Ro
- Increased fleet deployment flexibility
- Earnings enhancing and value accretive acquisition
- ✓ Maintaining our financial flexibility





Q&A: MEDITERRANEAN EXPANSION THROUGH U.N. RO-RO





PHYSICAL INVESTOR PRESENTATION

There will be held a physical investor presentation in relation to the announced transaction.

This investor presentation will take place today, Thursday 12th April.

Time and location:

• 2:00-3:00 PM CET at Hotel D'Angleterre, Kongens Nytovrv 34, 1050 Copenhagen

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Kindly note that the investor presentation will only be held physically with no option of dial-in and that it is to be held for the financial community only.

