

PRESS RELEASE

Estafeta becomes GLS partner in Mexico

Amsterdam, June 3, 2019. The GLS Group has expanded its commitment on the North American continent with a new partnership. From June 2019, Estafeta Mexicana, S.A. DE C.V. (Estafeta) will deliver GLS consignments in Mexico and, in a second step, will feed parcels for the European, US and Canadian markets into the GLS network.

Estafeta is the second-largest logistics, courier and parcel service provider in Mexico and covers the fifth-largest country in the Americas with an extensive network and over 6,500 employees. The company's infrastructure includes three hubs and 57 operating centres. Six airplanes and 3,600 vehicles are deployed for transportation and delivery.

"Thanks to the cooperation with Estafeta, our customers in Europe and North America will benefit from a modern, efficient network in Mexico that complements our existing operation in the US and Canada," says Saadi Al-Soudani, Managing Director International at GLS. "We are very happy with this partnership, because with North America and Europe, we are connecting the world's biggest trade regions."

Ingo Babrikowski, General Manager at Estafeta, sees benefits for Mexican senders in the new partnership: "We welcome our partnership with GLS because we are sure that working together we will be able to provide even more competitive solutions into the European market for our customers."

The GLS Group

GLS, General Logistics Systems B.V. (headquartered in Amsterdam), realises reliable, high-quality parcel services for over 200,000 customers, complemented by logistics and express services. “Quality leader in European parcel logistics” is GLS’ guiding principle, sustainability being one of the core values. Through wholly owned and partner companies, the Group provides a network coverage of 41 European states. GLS is also present in eight U.S. states and in Canada, and is globally connected via contractual agreements. Around 70 central and regional transshipment points and about 1,400 depots and agencies are at GLS’ disposal. With its ground based network GLS is one of the leading parcel service providers in Europe. GLS counts 19,000 employees and every day around 26,000 delivery vehicles and about 3,500 long distance trucks are on route for GLS. In the financial year 2018/19 GLS achieved revenues of 3.3 billion euros and transported 634 million parcels.

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