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FPT INDUSTRIAL OPENS A NEW ASIA PACIFIC DISTRIBUTION CENTER IN SHANGHAI

FPT Industrial celebrated the opening of its new Asia-Pacific Distribution Center in Shanghai on 19 October, 2012. Officials from local government and representatives from Fiat Industrial sister companies, IVECO and CNH, attended the ceremony.

Since 2005 FPT Industrial has increasingly invested in the growth of its Asia-Pacific market share, not to mention its efforts to bring state-of-the-art engines to Chinese mainland. Proof of this commitment is the trust the Beijing Public Transportation Company (BPTC) put into FPT for its over 4,000 buses running on the Beijing streets.

To meet these growing business needs, FPT Industrial revised the supply chain management model and invested to set up a new Asia Pacific distribution center. This new bonded warehouse is located in YSFTPA (Shanghai Yangshan Free Trade Port Area) which is close to the Shanghai Yangshan Deep-water Port. Comparing with the old bonded warehouse, the estimated logistics cost saving is around RMB 1m per year in terms of handling charge and storage cost.

The new warehouse will serve as the integrated distribution center for import & export activities of FPT Industrial in the entire Asia Pacific region. Taking advantage of Shanghai’s world-class transportation connectivity, logistics facilities and highly effective customs clearance process, FPT Industrial will dramatically improve the delivery efficiency and customer service responsiveness in the Far East region.
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FPT Industrial is a company of FIAT Industrial dedicated to the design, production and sale of powertrains for on/off-road vehicle, marine and power generation applications. The company employs approx. 8,000 persons worldwide, in 10 plants and 6 R&D Centres. The FPT Industrial’s sales network consists of 100 dealers and over 1,300 service centres in about 100 countries. A wide range of products (5 engine ranges from 37 up to 640 kW, and transmissions with maximum torque from 300 up to 500 Nm) and a close focus on R&D activities, make FPT Industrial a world leader in industrial powertrains.

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