

Namegiving & Delivery of Maersk Batam



On 14 May 2008, A.P. Moller Singapore's latest new building M.V. Maersk Batam (New Building Hull No. N-187) built at Hanjin Heavy Industries and Construction Co. Ltd, South Korea was delivered.

The name giving ceremony for the vessel was held on 7th May 2008, hosted by Mr. Eivind Kolding, CEO, Maersk Line along with his wife. It was an honour that Mrs. Kay Bruner, wife of Mr. Russ Bruner, ML Region Top North America, graciously adopted this new vessel, giving it her blessings.

The 35,835 GRT, 3,100 TEU Container Vessel is the second in the series of B-Type container vessels delivered to A.P. Moller Singapore. The vessel is fitted with a HYUNDAI-MAN B&W 8K80 ME-C engine delivering 28,800 KW taking the vessel speed up to 22.1 Knots. Maersk Batam is about 212.2 meters long with a beam of 32.2 meters and a depth of 16.56 meters.

Maersk Batam is registered in Singapore and commanded by Capt. Surojit Mitra, with Mr. Anil Chauhan as Chief Engineer on her maiden voyage.