

PEKAES Group

Company information

PEKAES SA is one of the top logistics operators providing its services since 1958. The company is based in Błonie. PEKAES provides a comprehensive range of delivery chain services, comprising: general cargo and partial load distribution (national and international), full truck load forwarding, rail, air and sea forwarding, distribution of parcel consignments, terminal logistics as well as bulk goods logistics, arrangement of ferry crossings and customs services.

PEKAES has one of the most efficient general cargo networks in Poland, with 19 national distribution terminals - in Błonie, Łódź, Poznań, Wrocław, Kraków, Szczecin, Gdynia, Koszalin, Olsztyn, Opole, Białystok, Bydgoszcz, Lublin, Rzeszów, Kielce, Legnica, Czechowice-Dziedzice, Sosnowiec and Zielona Góra. The terminal in Sosnowiec, which entered use in 2016 is one of the most modern warehouses within the Śląsk agglomeration, delivering significant transshipment capacity and effective handling of national and international consignments.

Apart from 19 national distribution terminals the company has 6 logistics terminals, 1 rail terminal, 2 rail border terminals for transshipment of bulk materials, 2 sea forwarding offices, 3 air forwarding offices, 2 offices which handle ferry crossings arrangements, 1 container agency and 2 customs agencies employing over 1200 staff.

PEKAES also has a network of 17 foreign partners in all key European countries. As part of international general cargo distribution services, the company is engaged with transport of cargo in Europe in close cooperation with 17 proven partners across 40 countries (such as Germany, Austria, France, Spain, Portugal, Great Britain, Ireland, Belgium, Norway, Sweden, Turkey, Russia, Italy and Hungary).

Through heavy investments in state of the art IT solutions and by constantly improving logistics operations, PEKAES is able to provide top quality services. Integrated, modern and safe solutions within the scope of logistics management and data exchange facilitate monitoring of handling processes and permanent access to current information. In 2013 the company launched an innovative customer support system which relies on advanced IT solutions. Its customer zone is an effective communication tool between PEKAES and customers ensuring 24h access to all relevant data. Using the platform customers have access to services such as: consignment tracking, e-invoicing, filing and managing complaints, preview and a filter facility for COD shipments, COD status according to recipient and account balance preview,

Services:

Domestic General Cargo Consignments

- next working day delivery across the entire country based in an efficient general cargo network,
- 19 distribution terminals,
- an individual approach to customers and selection of optimal solutions,
- a dedicated customer advisor,
- high security standard,
- shipments scanned at all transshipment points,
- very punctual deliveries,
- an individual reporting and invoicing system,
- a range of additional services.

International General Cargo Consignments

- cooperation with 17 proven partners Europe,
- an experienced team of forwarders,
- an individual approach to every customer,
- a network of regular international general cargo connections integrated with the domestic network,
- handling of partial loads,
- comprehensive customs services within own customs agencies.
- a range of additional services.

Domestic FTL forwarding

- a fleet of vehicles to cater for various customer requirements,
- 14 domestic forwarding branches,
- more than 3.5 thousand satisfied customers from various industries,
- a number of additional services, including return of pallets and documents,
- cargo safety ensured through:
 - GPS vehicle monitoring
 - consistent subcontractor selection policy,
 - experience in haulage of various goods.

International FTL forwarding

- an experienced team of forwarders providing services for 1.5 thousand customers,
- extensive practical knowledge in terms of arranging transport in Europe and Asia,
- handling of hazardous goods ADR,

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more than expected

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- refrigerated transport experience,
- comprehensive customs services through in-house agencies and CARGO insurance,
- cargo safety ensured through:
 - GPS vehicle monitoring,
 - consistent subcontractor selection policy,
 - experience in haulage of various goods.

Maritime forwarding

- services provided by maritime offices and customs agencies in Gdynia and Szczecin,
- sea freight insurance,
- additional port services at home and abroad, including storage,
- packaging, shipment preparation,
- full container (FCL) transport, general cargo (LCL),
- unconventional, oversized and hazardous cargoes,
- comprehensive forwarding and transport services for sea shipments in the "home-house" system,
- forwarding advise.

Railway forwarding

- domestic and international transport of conventional cargoes,
- full train load container freight from Polish ports to terminals,
- or customer's own siding,
- bonded and customs terminal services in Łódź,
- vehicle transport of containers to the customer (home - home system),
- import and customs clearances, customs bond forwarding,
- AEO Certificate facilitating faster and safer handling of goods at customs borders,
- container hire and sale.

Ferry crossings

- service available for the Baltic Sea, Mediterranean Sea, channels, etc.
- cooperation with renowned partners,
- attractive financial terms,
- preferential payment deadlines,
- significant operational flexibility,
- short reaction time.

Air forwarding

- services at the most important Polish airports: Warsaw, Gdańsk, Katowice,
- Poznań and Wrocław,
- long-term cooperation with renowned air carriers,
- fast identification of customer needs facilitates best solutions
- encompassing a full range of services,

- "home - home" collection and delivery system available for exports and imports to all countries in the world,
- shipments containing hazardous goods (DGR),
- consignment insurance, customs clearances, storage and distribution.

Customs services

- in-house customs agencies across the country, at sea and airports,
- modern IT tools for communicating with customs authorities,
- financial bonds for customs debts,
- handling of TIR and ATA carnets,
- security for the carriage of goods under the community transit procedure,
- floorspace in temporary storage terminals and in type A bonded warehouse,
- issuing certificates of origin, EUR.1 and A.TR movement certificates, T5 control cards,
- submission of applications for export refund related to the Common Agricultural Policy,
- intermediary in obtaining certificates issued by state institutions, e.g. SANEPID, WIJHARS.

Contract logistics

- logistics terminals across the entire country,
- an experienced team of logistics workers,
- uniform standards and procedures applicable to all locations,
- additional services (VAS),
- a modern and reliable IT system (latest WMS QGUAR version),
- combining terminal operations with other services, ensuring coverage of the entire, supply chain.

Domestic Partial Consignments

- handling of cargoes exceeding general cargo parameter but smaller than full truck loads,
- transport including loading and unloading at the customer's site,
- an individual approach to customers and selection of optimal solutions,
- a dedicated customer advisor,
- high security standard,
- very punctual deliveries,
- an individual reporting and invoicing system,
- a range of additional services.

International Partial Consignments

- support from an experienced team of forwarders,

- an individual approach to customers and selection of optimal solutions,
- forwarding in Europe, and not only to/from Poland
- transport including loading and unloading at the customer's site,
- high security standard,
- short lead times.

Company history

PEKAES was established on 22 December 1958 as PEKAES International Motor Transport Company. Initially, the Warsaw based company provided transport services between Poland and other European countries within the scope of Polish foreign trade. Company growth and rolling stock expansion contributed to the relocation of its headquarters to Błonie near Warsaw, where in 1972 a base with parking lots, workshops and warehouses was established. At that time the company began operating on routes to the Middle East, transporting goods to Iran, Iraq, Syria, Kuwait and Jordan. 1982 sees the incorporation of PEKAES Auto-Transport SA, which takes over international road transport from PMPs PEKAES.

A change of organizational structure at the Company takes place in the 1990s; it is transformed into a holding. PEKAES Auto-Transport SA became the parent entity, as the strategic and capital heart of the Group. At the time logistics as well as servicing and commercial services were added to international and domestic forwarding and transport range or services provided by the company. In 1999 PEKAES Auto-Transport SA was renamed to PEKAES SA. In 2013 the company expanded its intermodal services using the infrastructure and facilities of its subsidiaries - SPEDCONT and Chemikals. In June 2017 PEKAES SA changes its name once again to PEKAES Sp. z o.o.

Today, the following are part of the PEKAES Group: PEKAES Sp. z o.o., Chemikals Sp. z o.o., Spedycja Polska "Spedcont" Sp. z o.o.,

Maciej Bachman is the company's President of the Management Board.

Calendar of the most important events

1958 - PEKAES International Motor Transport Company is established

1972 - a depot in Błonie near Warsaw with parking space, workshops and terminals opens

1982 - the joint-stock company PEKAES Auto-Transport SA is incorporated, which takes over international road transport from PMPs PEKAES, the company owns 1018 vehicles

1991 - change of organizational structure at the Company; it is transformed into a holding. PEKAES Auto-Transport SA became the parent entity, as the strategic and capital heart of the Group

1991-1999 - the scope of services provided by the PEKAES Group grows. In addition to international and domestic forwarding and transport, the company's services include logistics as well as servicing and commercial services

1999 - name change to from PEKAES Auto-Transport SA to PEKAES SA

2004 - PEKAES SA was makes a début on the Warsaw Stock Exchange

2005 - acquisition of shares by a strategic investor - AKJ Capital Logistics, a private equity fund

2007 – merging of PEKAES SA and PEKAES Multi-Spedytor

2011 - Dobra Firma 2011 Leader of Corporate Social Responsibility title won

2012 - reorganization of the Group and sale of subsidiaries which did not provide the basic services developed by the Group

2013 - new PEKAES image and a new customer support system - creation of the Customer Zone

2013 - acquisition of subsidiaries - Spedcont and Chemikals - and resignation from using an own fleet of vehicles - PEKAES becomes a logistics operator, the company develops intermodal services, using the infrastructure and abilities of its subsidiaries

2015 - PEKAES and a new shareholder - Innova Capital fund purchases PEKAES from Kulczyk Holding

2015 - PEKAES wins the first CEE Capital Market Awards 2015 competition in the "Turnaround of the Year" category and holds the Solidna Firma 2015 certificate

2016 - joins the ECR Polska Employers' Association

2017 - at the request of PEKAES, the Management Board of the Warsaw Stock Exchange (GPW) removes the Company's shares from stock exchange trading as of 10 January 2017

2017 – PEKAES Reliable Employer 2017

2017 - from June 2017 the legal form of PEKAES SA changes to PEKAES Sp. z o.o., a new PEKAES visual identity is created

Corporate Social Responsibility

For years PEKAES has been involved in activities for sustainable development, with care for the natural environment, building ecological awareness among its employees and supporting local communities.

The company's goal is to protect the environment by implementing a balance between road and sea, air and rail transport. Therefore, PEKAES attaches great importance to the development of intermodal transport and the conversion of road transport to rail wherever feasible. By using intermodal transport, the company reduces carbon dioxide emissions and reduces the consumption of natural resources.

PEKAES is also engaged in a number of activities aiming to support local communities. "CSR - ten out of ten" one such action, which aims to help by ensuring universal access to books and magazines, through the refurbishment of 10 libraries selected in a vote. Thus far 6 out of 10 libraries have been refurbished. Also, every year, the company prepares Christmas gifts for needy families in cooperation with the Community Social Welfare Centre in Błonie.

PEKAES has its own code of ethics, the purpose of which is to establish the essence of ethical conduct in the minds of people associated with the organization. The code promotes and requires integrity, transparency of contracts, high standards of accounting and reporting, and compliance with legal principles. The document also specifies a prohibition of accepting material benefits, motivates employees to deal effectively with ethical dilemmas, and indicates standards in building relationships with stakeholders and the basis of corporate social responsibility in the company.

Awards and certificates

The highest quality of services delivered by PEKAES, operation in accordance with ethical standards, care for the employees and initiatives for sustainable development have been repeatedly appreciated by various organizations.

PEKAES is actively engaged in activities supporting corporate social responsibility, which was recognised by The Business Forum and the PAN Institute of Philosophy and Sociology awarding it the Dobra Firma 2011 Social Responsibility Leader title. PEKAES won the first CEE Capital Market Awards 2015 competition in the "Turnaround of the Year" category. The company also holds the Solidna Firma 2015, market and consumer reliability programme certificate as well as the 2015 and 2017 Reliable Employer of the Year title.

In 2016, the company joined the ECR Polska Employers' Association, a non-profit organization bringing together companies from the FMCG sector, whose aim is to support cooperation between supply chain participants.

District Court for the capital city of Warsaw, 14th Commercial Division of the National Court Register.



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