



In Moscow, Russian Post launches Eastern Europe's largest international mail hub, designed and developed by Selex ES

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Today in Moscow, in the presence of representatives of the Russian Federation Government, Russian Post opened its new international mail hub at Vnukovo airport. The hub was designed and developed by Selex ES, a Finmeccanica company. The contract, worth about 6 million Euros, saw Selex ES supply a turnkey system for sorting parcels and packages with customs operations integrated into the system.

Work began in September, with Selex ES providing a parcel and package sorting system based on cross-belt technology, x-ray systems connected with induction lines including plant supervision and ICT components, support activities and training of personnel during the centre's start-up phase and warranty for one year.

This is a key project developed under the direct control of the Ministry of Telecommunications of the Russian Federation, the starting point to begin the implementation of the new strategic plan of Russian Post, laying the groundwork for future functional and performance extensions.

"We are proud to be here in Vnukovo, playing an active role in Russian Post's country-wide modernisation process", commented Fabrizio Giulianini, CEO of Selex ES, adding: "Selex ES's cutting-edge cross-belt sorting technology will allow Russian Post to improve the sustainability of its business and control its total life-cycle costs. The technology requires little maintenance and consumes less energy than other systems on the market, minimising its environmental impact".

About Russian Post

The Federal state unitary enterprise Russian Post was established by the Government Order of September 5, 2002. Russian Post is one of the biggest companies in Russia. It is the biggest labor collective of postal workers – 381.000 employees. Employees receive, process and deliver 1.5 billion letters, 48 million parcels, and nearly 113 million money orders annually. Russian Post provides its clients with over 80 postal, financial, informational and communicational, as well as other services.

Mission of FSUE Russian Post – provision of the rights of citizens, state authorities, and economic entities within the territory of the Russian Federation to obtain quality and affordable postal, financial, and subscription services through the active assistance in developing the common national information space, and its further international integration.

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About Selex ES

Selex ES is a global technology provider delivering innovative systems, products and solutions to answer the growing demand for enhanced capabilities in the national security and military domains, as well as in complex civil infrastructure management. With more than 40 years of experience in the postal automation sector, where Selex ES is one of the main players worldwide, the Company has been operating in Russia since the early 90s. Since 2004, Selex ES has won the Russian Post tender for the supply of the turnkey automated sorting center in Moscow, the Country's main automated logistic hub. The Company has subsequently signed other important contracts with Russian Post in the field of automation and mail sorting, in particular the project for setting up the technological infrastructure for two Hybrid Mail printing centers in Moscow and St. Petersburg (2007); the contract for extensions of the automated sorting in

Moscow (2010); the realization of a national infrastructure for Revenue Protection based on new generation digital franking machines (2012); the contract for setting up the new turnkey sorting centers in Rostov-On-Don and Novosibirsk (2011-2012).

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