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NEAS Launches Safe Summer Sealift 2025
People. Community. Service.

-Expanded fleet, new leadership, and customer-first tools bring operational excellence and enhanced safety to the Arctic

Iqaluit, NU; Kuujjuaq, Montreal, QC (June 9, 2025) – "The NEAS sealift season is underway, and we're ready to deliver," said **Daniel Dagenais**, President & CEO of The NEAS Group. "With the right people, the right vessels, and a proven track record across the Arctic, NEAS meets the North's challenges head-on—and delivers. From major infrastructure to essential supplies, it's our people who make the difference."

New Leadership Focused on Safety and Operational Excellence
NEAS proudly welcomes Mark Harney as Vice President of Operations. "I'm putting my experience to work for the NEAS communities and customers that rely on us," Harney said. "Whether we're lifting a housing module or positioning a single family's cargo, my goal is to deliver the smoothest, safest Arctic sealift experience possible."

With over 30 years in maritime operations, Harney's hands-on leadership in international fleet management strengthens NEAS's operational excellence, safety performance, and customer-first service.

Fleet Growth: MV Dolfijngracht Returns to NEAS Canadian-Flag Fleet
Built in 2009, the MV Dolfijngracht (1,075 TEU, 156.9 m) is an ice-class cargo vessel equipped with three combinable cranes capable of lifting up to 240 metric tons.

Rejoining the MV QAMUTIK, MV MITIQ, MV NUNALIK, MV SINAA, MV SIVUMUT, and MV UKPIK, the Dolfijngracht increases NEAS's sealift cargo capacity this season by 25%, supporting the delivery of a higher quantity of essential goods to remote Arctic communities.

NEAS: Service built for the Arctic
"NEAS is built to meet the demands of Arctic shipping," said Marc-André Bougie, Vice President of Sales and Marketing. "With clear bookings, responsive teams, and logistics support from start to finish, we make Arctic deliveries work—every season, every customer."

NEAS Cargo Service Center – Your One-Stop Logistics Hub
Located in the Bécancour Industrial Park, the NEAS Cargo Service Center offers:

- 113,000 sq. ft. of secure indoor storage;
- 1.5 million sq. ft. of outdoor yard space;
- Full-service packing, container stuffing, and warehousing;
- In-house maintenance to keep vessels and equipment mission-ready.

Sailing Schedule & Cargo Cut-Off Dates
Visit NEAS.ca to view the 2025 sailing schedule, cargo cut-off dates, and dangerous goods deadlines.

- **Packaging & container services:** 1-866-908-0807 • CSCneas@neas.ca
- **Load-ready cargo appointments:** 1-888-908-0000 • TERMINALappt@neas.ca

Safety First – Local Knowledge, Local Leadership
Stay clear of marine work areas during vessel arrivals and unloading.

- Keep vehicles and ATVs out of marine work areas and cargo zones.
- Ensure children never play near discharged freight or marine work areas.

"When the NEAS ships come in, safety is everyone's job," said Jimmy Akavak O.Nu, Director of Marketing – Nunavut.

About NEAS
NEAS provides coast-to-coast sealift, sorting, packing, and containerization services to the Qikiqtaaluk, Kivalliq, Kitikmeot, Nunavik, Northern Quebec, and Manitoba regions.

Our customers include individuals, businesses, retailers, mining companies, government agencies, and the defence sector.

NEAS is Inuit-owned, with shareholders including Makivvik Corporation and Transport Nanuk Inc., a joint venture between Logistec Corporation and The North West Company.

Career Opportunities
NEAS is an **employer of choice**, committed to sustainable Inuit community development.
Visit **NEAS.ca** to explore current opportunities.

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