

# News Release

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## Luxembourg Economic Mission visits HTS

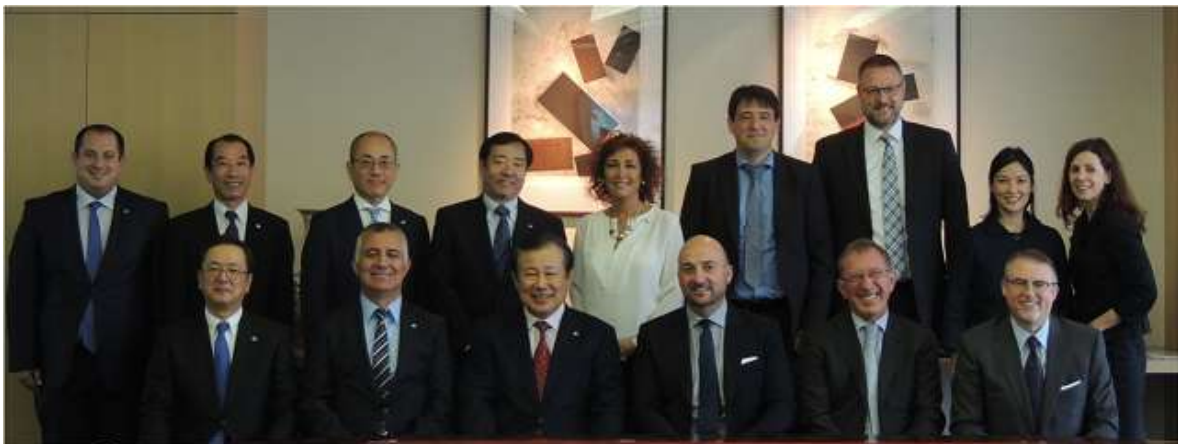
On 9<sup>th</sup> October, the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of the Economy of Luxembourg, Etienne Schneider, visited Hitachi Transport System Ltd. (herein called HTS), accompanied by eight members of the economic mission. The purpose of this visit was to promote a trade and investment relationship with Japan, especially in the field of logistics which is one of the main sectors they desire to strengthen economic relations, and to meet with an HTS group company operating in Luxembourg.

Attendants of the meeting included Mr. Suzuki (Chairman of the Board), Mr. Nakatani (President), Mr. Jinguji (Senior Vice President), Mr. Hannya (Vice President), Mr. Watanabe (Executive) from HTS and Mr. Sahillioglu, the president of our group company Mars Logistics Group Inc. (herein called MARS) which operates in Luxembourg.

Mr. Schneider explained the business environment of Luxembourg and Mr. Fernand Rippinger of CFL multimodal s.a., a logistic company in Luxembourg which does business with MARS, gave an overview of his business. Mr. Nakatani gave an overview of HTS's group business and the intermodal business (\*) operated by MARS in European countries like Turkey, Luxembourg, and others. After information was exchanged by both sides, they had further discussions to promote the relationship between the two countries.

\* Intermodal freight transport using multiple modes of transportation (rail, ship, and truck)

HTS will keep expanding its business and providing higher logistic service in Europe including Luxembourg.



\*Front row third person from the right: Mr. Etienne Schneider the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of the Economy of Luxembourg

\*Front row second person from the right: Mr. Fernand Rippinger of CFL multimodal s.a. (Senior Advisor Business Development)

\*Front row from the left: Mr. Nakatani (President of HTS), Mr. Sahillioglu (President of MARS), Mr. Suzuki HTS(Chairman of HTS)

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## < Corporate Profile of MARS >

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Outline of Business	Land transportation (Including Intermodal operations) Freight forwarding, etc.