



Carnival Maritime announces Remco Buis as new Vice President Land Operations

Hamburg, July 11, 2017 – Effective from July 1st, 2017 Remco Buis has joined Carnival Maritime as Vice President Land Operations. His responsibilities will include leading Land Operations as well as Port Operations, driving current and future projects and monitoring the development of a terminal infrastructure required to support new classes of vessels. Remco will also identify key passenger process and guest experience improvements with regards to future requirements and demands.

Dutch-born Remco Buis is a studied Marine Officer with a long track record in Marine Operations. He began his career onboard the ships of Holland America Line. In 2004 he joined Carnival Corporation & Plc as Senior Manager West Coast Port Development and later on Carnival Cruise Lines as Director of Commercial Homeport Operations. Among other things, he oversaw and directed major port development projects and port facility operations. Before now joining Carnival Maritime, Remco worked with Yusen Terminals LLC as Director, Terminal Support, based in Los Angeles. He provided strategic leadership and accountability for all Terminal Support functions including project management, maintenance and repair activities, safety environmental compliance, IT and business processes.

Lars Ljoen, Managing Director of Carnival Maritime, is looking forward to the new addition: “We are very excited to welcome Remco to our team. His competencies, long-term strategic experiences and his passion are a big win for all of us. I am confident that he will further reinforce our performance in Land Operations”.

“I am very much looking forward to the new challenges ahead of me”, says Remco. “Working in this position will give me and my team the opportunity to drive new solutions relevant for the future of the cruise industry.”

Remco reports directly to Lars Ljoen.

Carnival Maritime is the marine service unit for the Costa Group, Europe's leading Cruise Company. This unit bundles competences and best practices in the area of marine operations to achieve the highest safety standards in the cruise industry for the fleet of the Costa Group, which currently includes 27 cruise ships of the brands Costa Crociere, Costa Asia and AIDA Cruises. Carnival Maritime combines the company's expertise in the areas of marine, technology, health, environmental protection and security for the Costa Group in Hamburg. The embedded Fleet Operations Center (FOC) monitors and supports 38 ships of the Costa Group, P&O Cruises and Cunard line. Carnival Maritime was founded in 2015, and employs 180 specialists.

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