

Press release

Ramborn and CFL multimodal partnership: a shared mindset for a more sustainable supply chain

Luxembourg, 7th November 2023 – Ramborn and CFL multimodal, through its subsidiary CFL logistics, are happy to announce the signature of a long-term agreement. The international logistics expert with its Headquarters in Luxembourg provides warehousing, customs and distribution services to the first Luxembourgish cider producer.

“I believe this partnership is just a logical step. At the CFL freight activities division we are invested in creating ecological solutions and are continuously working hard on providing sustainable supply chains for our partners. Our missions are both very much centered around implementing something that will serve future generations still. That’s one of the reasons I am happy we are now working together to make an even bigger impact and that we had the opportunity to create a custom solution for our new partner.” Laurent Erhard, CEO CFL logistics

As a certified B Corporation, Ramborn was looking for a like-minded partner who would help improve the sustainability of their production chain. Both companies value tradition and perceive it as a strong foundation for spearheading thought-full change for future generations; from bringing back the long-forgotten tradition of cider-making (the tradition of “Viez”), in an effort to use otherwise wasted fruit, restoring ancient meadow orchards and preserving biodiversity, to pushing the transport community to shift their cargo towards the more sustainable rail transport solution whenever possible, both Ramborn and CFL multimodal are continuously striving to achieve profitable, yet environment friendly and socially beneficial operations.

“This collaboration will enable us to optimize our logistics and supply chain, ensuring faster and more reliable deliveries to our clients. Benefiting from CFL multimodal’s expertise in rail transport and green logistics solutions is a real asset to meet Ramborn’s future development challenges. We believe that this long-term partnership is a win-win situation for both parties, and we look forward to working together to push positive change in our sector and beyond.” Carlo Hein, Co-founder & President of the Board Ramborn S.A.

About CFL multimodal

The CFL multimodal Group is a logistics service provider, covering the entire logistics chain. Together with its sister company CFL cargo CFL multimodal offers a broad, high-quality and customized service portfolio: combined and conventional rail freight, wagon maintenance and repairs, customs clearance, as well as forwarding and logistics services. With a European presence in Luxembourg, France, Germany and Sweden, CFL cargo serves many of the most important European rail axes.

In Luxembourg, the activities of CFL multimodal center on the intermodal terminal Bettembourg-Dudelange in the Eurohub South Logistics Park. Located on the Rail Freight Corridor 2 (North Sea-Mediterranean) and at the crossroads of the North-South and East-West transport routes, the terminal is ideally positioned as an international hub for the consolidation of multimodal transport flows across Europe and beyond. With a total yearly capacity of 600.000 units and equipped with the latest technology in terms of security and surveillance, the intermodal terminal is connected by combined train shuttles to the main ports and industrial regions.

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About Ramborn

Ramborn is a Certified B Corporation and Luxembourg's first cider company, committed to making a positive impact on people and the planet. They work with over 300 farmers to restore, maintain, and improve traditional orchards, paying a fair price for their fruit. By reviving the tradition of cider-making and using locally sourced apples, pears and quinces, Ramborn is putting good use to the otherwise wasted fruit and breathing new life into traditional orchards throughout the country. Their drink-making process is grounded in circular economy principles, with no concentrate or industrial plantations used. The results are two dozens of 100% local and natural drinks, from simple fruit juices to premium sparkling fruit wines.

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