
**„DPD Lietuva“ was awarded the Golden Medal for „DPD Classic“,
product of the year**

Lithuania, 18th December 2007 - At Lithuanian Presidential Palace, Valdas Adamkus, the President of the Republic of Lithuania, has presented Vytautas Kudzys, „DPD Lietuva“ General Director, with a golden medal for the service „DPD Classic“, the winner of the competition „Lithuanian Product of the Year“ organized by Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists.

„It is one of the highest appraisal of our company and we are very proud of it. This evaluation proves once more that services offered by our company are of high quality and meet the needs of Lithuanian business. The award shows also our commitment for our current and future clients who trust us with their parcels and logistics“, said Vytautas Kudzys, „DPD Lietuva“ General Director.

As Vytautas Kudzys puts it “since the establishment of the company in 1998 till now „DPD Lietuva“ has kept investing in the development of the range of services and their quality”.

„We were one of the pioneers who came to build the domestic parcel market in Lithuania in 1999. During eight years our company was growing and improving along with the market. At the same time we have always tried to be a few steps ahead of competitors by applying international experience of our owners, skills and knowledge of our qualified employees, systematic investigation and observation of business situation and the needs of our clients. Finally we have reached a leading position on the market“, said „DPD Lietuva“ General Director.

According to Communications Regulatory Authority of the Republic of Lithuania 2007 third quarter Postal sector reports that, „DPD Lietuva“ holds 41.5% of the market and is the only courier company at the „Lithuanian Product of the Year“ competition that was nominated.

Lithuanian Confederation of Industrialists organized „Lithuanian product of the year“ competition for the 11th time already. The main aim of the competition is to promote development of Lithuanian business and increase competitiveness of high quality production.

About DPD

With the daily transport of more than 1.4 million parcels in a seamless international network, DPD GmbH & Co. KG is one of the leading courier service providers in Europe. This global franchisor based in Aschaffenburg, Germany offers a wide product portfolio both domestically and abroad through its franchisees. The offer ranges from standard, guarantee and Express parcels through services such as cash-on-delivery, right through to individual customer solutions. In approximately 500 depots in 38 countries, more than 22,000 employees and 15,000 vehicles are working to serve 200,000 commercial customers. Heading DPD GmbH & Co. KG are the two CEOs Hans Fluri and Arnold Schroven. The French GeoPost Group, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of La Poste, holds the majority of shares in DPD.

About GeoPost

GeoPost, a parcel specialist and a major player on the express market, brings together all the La Poste group's express subsidiaries. Established across Europe, and serving over 230 countries on behalf of over 300,000 customers throughout the world, the GeoPost group is number one in France, number three in Europe, with a turnover of €2.969 billion in 2006 and second in Europe in terms of volumes carried.

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