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Jesper Nielsen takes on the role as Group CEO for Scan Global Logistics

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The change was planned during 2015 and solidifies the leadership of Scan Global Logistics. When Jesper Nielsen takes over as CEO, on February 1 2016, Henrik von Sydow, the outgoing CEO takes over the position as Chairman of the Board.

"I am both pleased and proud that we have been able to attract Jesper Nielsen. Jesper brings a world of industry experience, international insights, customer and partner understanding and management skills to Scan Global Logistics. I am confident that the company will continue its successful development under his leadership", says Henrik von Sydow, Chairman of the Board, Scan Global Logistics A/S.

Jesper Nielsen (43) has spent the last ten years in senior management positions at DHL Global Forwarding, most recently as CEO for the Nordics & Baltics, managing revenues of approx. 800 million Euro and 800 employees. Prior to his tenure with DHL, Jesper Nielsen held various managerial positions in the industry in USA, Europe and China.

"I am excited to take on the role as Group CEO for Scan Global Logistics. Under the leadership of Henrik von Sydow, the company has undergone a significant positive transformation and I will strive to continue this sustainable growth path. We want to reinforce our position as a credible and agile alternative to the large multinational forwarders. My experience and background will fit our efforts to continuously strengthen our value proposition to the benefit of our customers," says Jesper Nielsen, Group CEO, Scan Global Logistics.

In his new position as Chairman of the Board, Henrik von Sydow takes over from Esben Bay Jørgensen, cofounder and partner of the investment firm BWB Partners, SGL's majority shareholder. Esben Bay Jørgensen will continue to serve as deputy Chairman of the Board.

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