Administration de pilotage des Laurentides Laurentian Pilotage Authority

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THE LAURENTIAN PILOTAGE AUTHORITY INAUGURATES THE MARITIME PILOT STATION OF TROIS-RIVIÈRES

Trois-Rivières, **June 27**, **2017** – The Laurentian Pilotage Authority ("LPA") is pleased to announce that it will make available to pilots who are members of the Corporation des pilotes du Saint-Laurent central (hereinafter called "CPSLC") and who hold a licence issued by the LPA, a new maritime pilot station, in Trois-Rivières.

The pilot station was inaugurated today in Trois-Rivières together with the Mayor of Trois-Rivières, Mr. Yves Lévesque, Mr. Jean-Denis Girard, member of the National Assembly of Quebec for Trois-Rivières, and Mr. Marc H. Plante, member of the National Assembly of Quebec for Maskinongé. Officials standing for elected representatives of the governments of Canada and Quebec were also present.

"Today, we are pleased to inaugurate this maritime pilot station which will allow pilots to benefit from a rest and preparation area when they are in transit between pilotage missions," said Fulvio Fracassi, Chief Executive Officer of the LPA. The pilotage station results from the successful collaboration between the LPA and CPSLC. The new pilotage station will allow the LPA to continue to provide safe and efficient pilotage services on the St. Lawrence and Saguenay rivers."

About the Laurentian Pilotage Authority

The Laurentian Pilotage Authority (LPA) is a financially self-sufficient federal Crown corporation responsible for administering and providing marine pilotage services on the St. Lawrence and Saguenay rivers. The LPA's mission is to ensure navigation safety by providing efficient marine pilotage services at a reasonable cost in cooperation with pilots, their corporations, and the shipping industry.

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