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**Commitment to safety and quality:
Lexzau, Scharbau gets CDI-mpc certificate**

The owner-managed logistics provider Lexzau, Scharbau GmbH & Co. KG, flagship of the Anker Leschaco Group with its headquarters in Bremen, was certified by the Chemical Distribution Institute (CDI), a non-profit organization of the chemical industry. The company herewith underlines its high standard in process orientated quality and safety management.

(Bremen, February 04, 2009) The third party certification is an important cornerstone of the quality management for the Bremen based logistics company. Oliver Oestreich, member of the board, says why: „Contrary to other institutions the CDI works worldwide and is also accepted by American companies.“

CDI carries out assessments in the following fields: CFS (Container Freight Station), Tank Container, Forwarder, Ship Agent, Shipping Company and Container Terminal. The basis for the assessments are standardized questionnaires including several hundreds of questions. Main areas which are of importance are quality, environment and labor protection as well as health aspects. The results will be documented in a database. All CDI members have access to this database, so that they are able to interpret the data according to their requirements.

Lexzau, Scharbau GmbH & Co. KG in Bremen was audited in the fields of Tank Container, CFS (Container Freight Station) and Forwarding and got very good results. The execution of CDI Audits is also planned for the foreign subsidiaries of the Anker Leschaco Group worldwide.

