

## Service Point wins the International Document Production Contract for Nord Stream

- **Service Point will manage the documentation for the environmental compatibility test (UVP) which will connect Russia and the European Union**
- **The company will increase its customer base in both the private and public sectors**

**26 March 2009.-** Service Point (ticker: SPS.MC) through its subsidiary in Germany, Koebcke GmbH, has won the contract for the duplication of national and international documents for the environmental compatibility test (UVP) of the Nord Stream pipeline.

Nord Stream AG intends to build and operate the new gas pipeline which connects Russia and the European Union directly via the Baltic Sea. The new gas pipeline will transport natural gas to ensure the power supply for corporate and private customers.

In order to be able to optimally conform to the given special requirements, Service Point will divide the realization of the project between two locations. The duplication of the national documents will be undertaken by the Hamburg branch and the international documents in Berlin.

Service Point will reproduce the national approval documents in Hamburg within four weeks. After completion, all documents will be dispatched to 40 national authorities. The duplication of the international documents is guaranteed by the Berlin headquarters in only nine days. After printing, the documents will be bound into a folder and delivered to nine countries. Service Point's capacity to adapt to the work conditions has been the key to win the contract for Nord Stream.

Service Point entered into the German market in June 2006 through the acquisition of Koebcke GmbH, who works for the German Parliament (Bundestag and the Bundesrat), as well as other private sector companies.

According to Rafael López-Aparicio, SPS's CEO: *"Nord Stream's project will open a new pipeline to supply gas demands in Europe and include top-level document management. Only a company like Service Point can respond to the need to produce millions of documents in a few days and with total reliability. Our team in the Germany subsidiary has been able to design and implement a tailor-made solution with total confidence."*

Service Point Solutions, ([www.servicepoint.net](http://www.servicepoint.net)) provides digital reprographics and document management services for the infrastructure, industrial, public and services sectors. It employs over 2,700 people across 8 countries (United Kingdom, USA, Spain, France, Germany, The Netherlands, Belgium and Norway) through a network of 140 services centres and 840 facilities management programs. SPS is headquartered in Spain and listed on the Madrid and Barcelona stock exchanges (Ticker: SPS.MC).

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