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Vicovanu expands KRONE fleet with new telematics capability

Vicovanu Transport has strengthened its long-standing relationship with Krone with the acquisition of a further 15 Box Liner FS10 sliding chassis trailers, all equipped with Krone telematics and taking the company's Krone fleet to approximately 109 units in service.

The latest investment reflects the continued success and expansion of the Thurrock-based operator, which has built a strong reputation for providing reliable container transport and multimodal logistics solutions across the UK and Europe.

As part of its ongoing fleet development strategy, Vicovanu is also accelerating the rollout of KRONE Telematics across its container fleet, with 70 KRONE trailers now operating with the full KRONE Telematics package. The company plans to retrofit the remaining units in the future, creating a fully connected fleet capable of delivering greater operational visibility, improved maintenance planning and enhanced customer service.

Founded in 2013, Vicovanu Transport Ltd is a family-run business specialising in container transport, offering a comprehensive range of road haulage services from its strategically located base in Thurrock, Essex. The company supports customers across a wide range of sectors with import and export movements, express deliveries, lift assist operations and multimodal logistics solutions covering road, rail, ocean and air freight.

"The continued growth of our business means we need equipment that we can depend on every day," says Sergiu Vicovanu, Managing Director of Vicovanu Transport Ltd. "The KRONE Box Liner has consistently delivered the reliability, flexibility and durability we require for intensive container operations, which is why we continue to invest in more KRONE equipment as our fleet grows."

"The relationship we have developed with KRONE has been extremely positive. Their understanding of

our operation and their ability to provide solutions that meet the demands of modern container transport gives us the confidence to continue expanding with their products.”

Developed in close collaboration with KRONE UK, the Box Liner FS10 is designed specifically for the demanding requirements of container transport operations. Its flexible design allows operators to quickly accommodate multiple container configurations, including 1 x 40ft, 1 x 45ft, 2 x 20ft and 30ft containers, providing the versatility required for intermodal transport.

Built for durability and long service life, the chassis features a robust construction incorporating double T-longitudinal beams with welded cross members, reinforced components and an extendable underrun protection compliant with EC regulations. All steel components undergo shot blasting, CDC coating and powder coating processes to provide long-lasting corrosion protection, backed by KRONE's 10-year rust-through warranty.

The integration of KRONE Telematics is providing Vicovanu with a new level of visibility and control across its trailer fleet. The system provides real-time information on trailer location, operating status and key technical data, helping fleet managers improve asset utilisation, plan maintenance more effectively and reduce downtime.

Through access to live trailer information, including mileage, braking system status, coupling information and diagnostic data, Vicovanu can identify potential issues earlier and make better-informed operational decisions. For customers, this enhanced visibility supports more accurate planning and improved confidence that their container movements are being managed efficiently and reliably.

“The move towards a fully connected KRONE fleet represents another important step in our development,” adds Sergiu. “Having greater visibility of our assets and their condition helps us operate more efficiently and continue providing the high levels of service our customers expect.

“KRONE Telematics gives us valuable information that supports proactive fleet management, helping us maximise uptime and ensure our equipment is always ready for the next job.”

Each trailer is also equipped with KRONE Smart Tyre Monitoring, which monitors tyre pressure and temperature in real time, helping improve safety, reduce the risk of tyre-related incidents and support more efficient maintenance.

Operating 24/7, Vicovanu Transport is FORS-accredited and continues to expand its position as a specialist container transport provider, delivering reliable logistics solutions from major UK ports and supporting customers with a comprehensive range of national and international freight services.



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