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LINEAGE CHAMPIONS SCHMITZ CARGOBULL WITH ORDER OF 41 NEW REEFERS FOR ITS COLD CHAIN FLEET

Lineage, the world's largest temperature-controlled logistics provider, has expanded its UK fleet with a further 41 refrigerated trailers from Schmitz Cargobull, for use on its wholesaler and major supermarket contracts.

Expected to get at least a decade of intensive use, the trailers join a 500-strong fleet, approximately 70 per cent of which are from Schmitz Cargobull – Europe's largest trailer manufacturer.

Will Maycock, Head of Transport for Lineage, says: "We have been working with Schmitz Cargobull for 25 years and know we can trust their trailers to provide excellent value for money.

"And with the support we receive from the Service Partner network, we're confident the new reefers will have a long service life, and we'll get a good return on our investment."

The latest generation of reefers from Schmitz Cargobull are lower in height and lighter than competitors' trailers, optimising fuel-efficiency by reducing drag, without compromising on interior payload capacity.

Schmitz Cargobull's Dynamic Ramp Protection (DRP) has been fitted to all 41 of the trailers as reinforcement at the rear of the unit, giving extra confidence to drivers who are required to reverse up to loading bays at distribution centres.



The Trailer Company.

The reefers are equipped with Carrier Transicold Vector® 1550 single temperature units.

The new assets will be maintained by Rochdale-based Commercial Contract Engineers (CCE), one of Schmitz Cargobull's 1,700 European Service Partners.

Lineage is a true partner offering customers a next day delivery service, seven days a week. It delivers more than 12,000 pallets a day from its 14 cold stores throughout the UK.

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Editor's notes:

Schmitz Cargobull UK and Ireland is a subsidiary company of the German-owned Schmitz Cargobull Group. With an annual production of some 61,000 vehicles and around 6,400 employees, Schmitz Cargobull AG is Europe's leading manufacturer of semi-trailers, truck bodies and trailers for temperature-controlled freight, general cargo and bulk goods. A turnover of over € 2.2 billion was reported in the 2017/2018 business year. As a pioneer in the industry, Schmitz Cargobull AG developed a comprehensive brand strategy early on and has consistently established quality standards spanning every level: from research and development, to production, to specialist services such as trailer telematics, financing, spare parts and used trailers.

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About Lineage Logistics:

Lineage Logistics is the industry's leading innovator in temperature-controlled supply chain and logistics. Lineage's expertise in end-to-end logistical solutions, its unrivalled real estate network, and its use of technology combine to promote food safety, increase distribution efficiency, advance sustainability, lessen environmental impact, and minimize supply chain waste. As a result, Lineage helps customers ranging from Fortune 500 companies to small family-owned businesses increase the efficiency and protect the integrity of their temperature-controlled supply chain. In recognition of the company's leading innovations, Lineage was recognized as the No 1. Data Science company on Fast Company's annual list of the World's Most Innovative Companies in 2019, in addition to ranking 23rd overall in an evaluation of thousands of companies worldwide. (www.lineagelogistics.com)

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