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UECC announces deployment of two new dual fuel LNG PCTCs with Finnish/Swedish Ice Class 1A Super on the Baltic service



UECC is proud to announce the deployment of our new dual fuel **LNG PCTCs the M/V AUTO ECO** and **M/V AUTO ENERGY (the E-class)** in our weekly Baltic Service. The Baltic service has now included Malmö in the loop. After their Naming Ceremonies (M/V AUTO ECO on 21st November 2016 and M/V AUTO ENERGY on 7th February 2017), the world's largest dual fuel LNG PCTCs are ready to trade in the Baltic.

Commenting on the E-class trading on the Baltic service, Mr. Bjorn Svenningsen (Head of Sales and Marketing), "These are the first in the world and they are fitted with a dual-fuel LNG propulsion system, allowing them to complete a fourteen-day round trip on LNG without refuelling. They are constructed to meet the highest ice class standard: Super 1A Finish /Swedish Ice Class, breaking through 1 meter of ice and continue to ensure reliable trading. Their flexibility, moveable decks and increased ramp capacity have been designed to allow all High & Heavy cargo, or almost any kind of RoRo stock. They are the type of vessels that you can count on 365 days a year!"

Baltic loop: M/V AUTO ECO and M/V AUTO ENERGY

Two E-class vessels on a weekly frequency SOUTHAMPTON \rightarrow ZEEBRUGGE \rightarrow BREMERHAVEN \rightarrow MALMO \rightarrow HANKO \rightarrow ST. PETERSBURG \rightarrow (GDYNIA)* \rightarrow SOUTHAMPTON

* every two weeks to Gdynia



Vessel Details

M/V AUTO ECO and M/V AUTO ENERGY	
Car Decks	10
Car Capacity (RT 43)	4000
Vessel Speed	18.6
Quarter Ramp Capacity	160 t
Quarter Ramp Opening Height	5.7 m
Quarter Ramp Width	15 m
Quarter Ramp Length	22.7 m

List of UECC's commercial agents to assist your shipping requirements in the Baltic service.

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Notes for editors:

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