

le port de DUNKERQUE

e-monthly port activities report

Dunkerque-Port
will be present at the
**International week of
Transport and Logistics**
from 23 to 26 march 2010
Paris Nord Villepinte
Hall 6 - Stand D 053

#44
March 10

2009 Traffic : 45 MT



Petroleum Products :
11,2 MT



Minor liquid bulk :
1,2 MT



Ore : 7,8 MT



Coal : 6,1 MT



Grain : 1 MT



Minor solid bulk :
2,6 MT



Ro-Ro traffic :
12,5 MT

General cargoes :
15,1 MT



Port calls : 6 540



Renewal of Caribbean Partnership Charter

After 12 years of cooperation between Guadeloupe and Martinique in the refrigerated carriage of bananas, Dunkerque-Port and the Guadeloupe & Martinique Banana Producers' Associations' Union (UGPBAN) have reinforced their partnership by signing a new charter. (Dunkerque-Port handles approximately 300,000 tonnes of bananas every year). Bringing together the professionals of the sector, the document was signed during a trade mission to the Caribbean in mid-January 2010, led by Martine Bonny, Chair of the Executive Committee at Dunkerque-Port. The primary purpose of the charter is to guarantee quality during banana discharging operations in Dunkirk; it is also intended to put in place progress plans identified as relevant in terms of sustainable development. **An event attended by all the signatories of the charter will be held very shortly, this time in Dunkirk, in the presence of UGPBAN President Eric de Lucy ■**



Launch of Sustainable Development and Action Plan (PA2D)

Dunkerque-Port's strategic plan, approved on 3 April 2009, forms part of the port's policy of sustainable development and action; it identifies the various areas of the port, particularly those which affect environmental protection, and specifies the procedure for managing them. The



issues at stake are enormous because the port occupies 17 kilometres of sea frontage and covers an area of more than 7,000 hectares, 3,000 of which are still available for new development. The port's strategic plan focuses on the preparation of a Sustainable Development and Action Plan (PA2D). The Board of Trustees has proposed that the Development Board draw up the PA2D and act as the interface between institutional members and technical partners. A 17-member technical group has been set up, including members of the Development Board, representatives of government departments, qualified persons and elected officials of the Dunkirk area, the Region and the Département. Work began on 21 January 2010 and will last for two years ■