



## DP WORLD ACHIEVES TOP TRANSPORT SAFETY AWARD FOR THIRD CONSECUTIVE YEAR

Dubai Awards for Sustainable Transport recognises excellence in  
safe driving initiative for truck drivers at Jebel Ali Port

**Dubai, United Arab Emirates, February 18, 2014:-** DP World's comprehensive safe driving programme for the thousands of external truck drivers using its flagship Jebel Ali port has won the prestigious Dubai Awards for Sustainable Transport (DAST) for a third successive year.

His Highness Sheikh Maktoum bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Deputy Ruler of Dubai, presented the award to His Excellency Sultan Ahmed Bin Sulayem, Chairman, DP World, and Mohammed Al Muallem, Senior Vice President and Managing Director, DP World, UAE Region, in the presence of His Excellency Mattar Al Tayer, Chairman of the Board and Executive Director of the Road Transport Authority.

The 6<sup>th</sup> edition of DAST, initiated by the Roads and Transport Authority (RTA), was held today (18 February) under the patronage of His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Crown Prince of Dubai and Chairman of the Dubai Executive Council.

DP World was cited for excellence in enhancing safe truck movements in the port area and for promoting safe driving best practices among the many external truck drivers who use the DP World port.

**HE Sultan Ahmed Bin Sulayem, Chairman, DP World, said:**

"Safety at all our ports and marine terminals is a top priority, not just for our own people but also for all those who must come onto our facilities as part of their job. This award is confirmation of the UAE Region's strong focus on safety and deep commitment to safety programmes for all port users. We thank the RTA and His Excellency Mattar Al Tayer for their initiative to honour sustainable transport in Dubai. DP World is committed to sustainability within the business and the community at all our terminals across the world."

**Mohammed Al Muallem, Senior Vice President and Managing Director, DP World, UAE Region, said:**

"We are honoured to receive the DAST award for the third consecutive year under the Transport Safety Category. This is the result of our efforts at Jebel Ali Port to provide a safe environment to our customers and the local community. We integrate awareness, training, policies and procedures to create a healthy work culture where international standards of safety, security and environment are maintained."

The DAST Award includes five categories: mobility management, transportation safety, environmental protection, special needs, and school transportation. At its first submission for the Mobility Management category in 2012, DP World, UAE Region won the award for its “Automated Gate System” project in Jebel Ali Port.

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