

VTS Sebarok Commissions New Jetty Facilities

Vopak Singapore's new jetty facilities at Sebarok terminal was officially commissioned last October 19, 2006. The maiden berthing on Jetty no. 8 was officially graced by Vopak Asia President and Singapore MD Paul Govaart and Vopak Singapore's GM Robert Dompeling. Both Paul and Rob were onboard the MV IOKASTI together with the Port Pilot during the 60 minute journey from anchorage to the new Jetty no. 8 for the maiden berthing operation till the vessel was safely alongside.

The construction of the jetty with one 150,000 DWT and two 15,000 DWT berths started December 2005. The project officially obtained CSC certification on October 18, a day before the scheduled commissioning.

Completely flexible to accept loading & discharging operations for both white and black petroleum products, the 3-in-1 jetty is even capable to do inter-jetty operations with a link pipeline with existing Jetty no. 5.

The new jetties provide a significant increase in berthing capacity for the Sebarok Terminal. It complements Sebarok's objective to increase its existing throughput with the lined-up projects for additional tankpits targeted for completion by early 2008.

