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ABP IS THE UK'S LEADING PORT OPERATOR WITH A NETWORK OF 21 PORTS ACROSS BRITAIN HANDLING AROUND ONE QUARTER OF THE NATION'S SEABORNE TRADE, CONTRIBUTING £7.5 BILLION TO THE ECONOMY EVERY YEAR AND SUPPORTING 119,000 JOBS. ABP ALSO OPERATES ONE OF THE UK'S BUSIEST RAIL TERMINALS AT HAMS HALL IN THE MIDLANDS.

AS AN ISLAND NATION, PORTS HANDLE 95% OF THE UK'S TRADE IN GOODS

ABP'S 21 PORTS ARE KEEPING BRITAIN TRADING

James Cooper, Chief Executive

WELCOME TO ABP'S ANNUAL REVIEW 2018

From the Chief Executive

This will be the last Annual Review introduced by me. Last year I announced my decision to step down as Chief Executive after more than five years at the helm. My successor, Henrik Pedersen, will take over in August having served in a wide range of senior leadership roles across the A.P. Moller-Maersk business worldwide. Our Annual Review shows that Henrik joins after another year that has seen ABP continue to build for the future.

ABP's vision is to be our customers' first choice provider of port services and infrastructure, ensure our people achieve their potential, fulfil their ambitions and go home safely every day; our mission is to keep Britain trading. Fulfilling that mission means embracing new and better ways of operating our business in every area.

Making sure our people go home safely every day remains our number one priority and our ongoing Beyond Zero programme has set a challenging objective: no accidents at ABP. Embedding a safety-led culture is a critical step towards eliminating harm and creating a great, safe place to work. Over the past 12 months Beyond Zero has entered its next phase and a new emphasis on behavioural safety has witnessed teams of frontline colleagues taking part in an extended range of safety culture and leadership courses. We are also deploying new technologies, such as Virtual Reality, to help raise awareness amongst colleagues about the dangers and challenges of the workplace.

Using new technology offers a number of other opportunities to equip our people with the skills they need to safely deliver the highest standards of customer service. One example is ABP's investment in new simulator training on the Humber, designed to develop skills in many key aspects of marine and logistics operations.

Our ongoing investment in people over the past 12 months has also seen the creation of the new ABP Academy and expansion of the apprenticeship opportunities we offer. ABP now has 65 apprentices working across the business, including eight who are undertaking management apprenticeships. In September Kym Hughes became our first apprentice to become a Class Three Pilot, graduating after 18 months of intensive training under our unique, industry-leading marine apprenticeship programme. This programme is now established as the formal apprenticeship route for our Marine Pilot and Port Marine Operations Officers.

Along with our apprenticeship programmes, we have continued to invest in our employees by supporting 21 colleagues in Higher Education programmes, covering HNCs, HNDs, degrees and higher degrees in a range of subjects from Electrical Engineering to Construction Project Management.

Building relationships with young people in education is a core component of our strategy to ensure ABP has the talented, capable and creative people we need now and in the future. To that end, we continue to develop closer ties with schools and colleges across the country to ensure young people develop an appreciation of our industry and the exciting career opportunities available within ABP. Examples of this include school students from across Hampshire visiting the Port of Southampton to take part in the ABP Maths Challenge and our support for Project Blyth, a Humber-wide education project designed to inspire and foster innovation amongst young people. ▷

It is vital that the underrepresentation of women in the ports industry is addressed. That's why ABP is signing up to the Women in Maritime Taskforce's Charter.

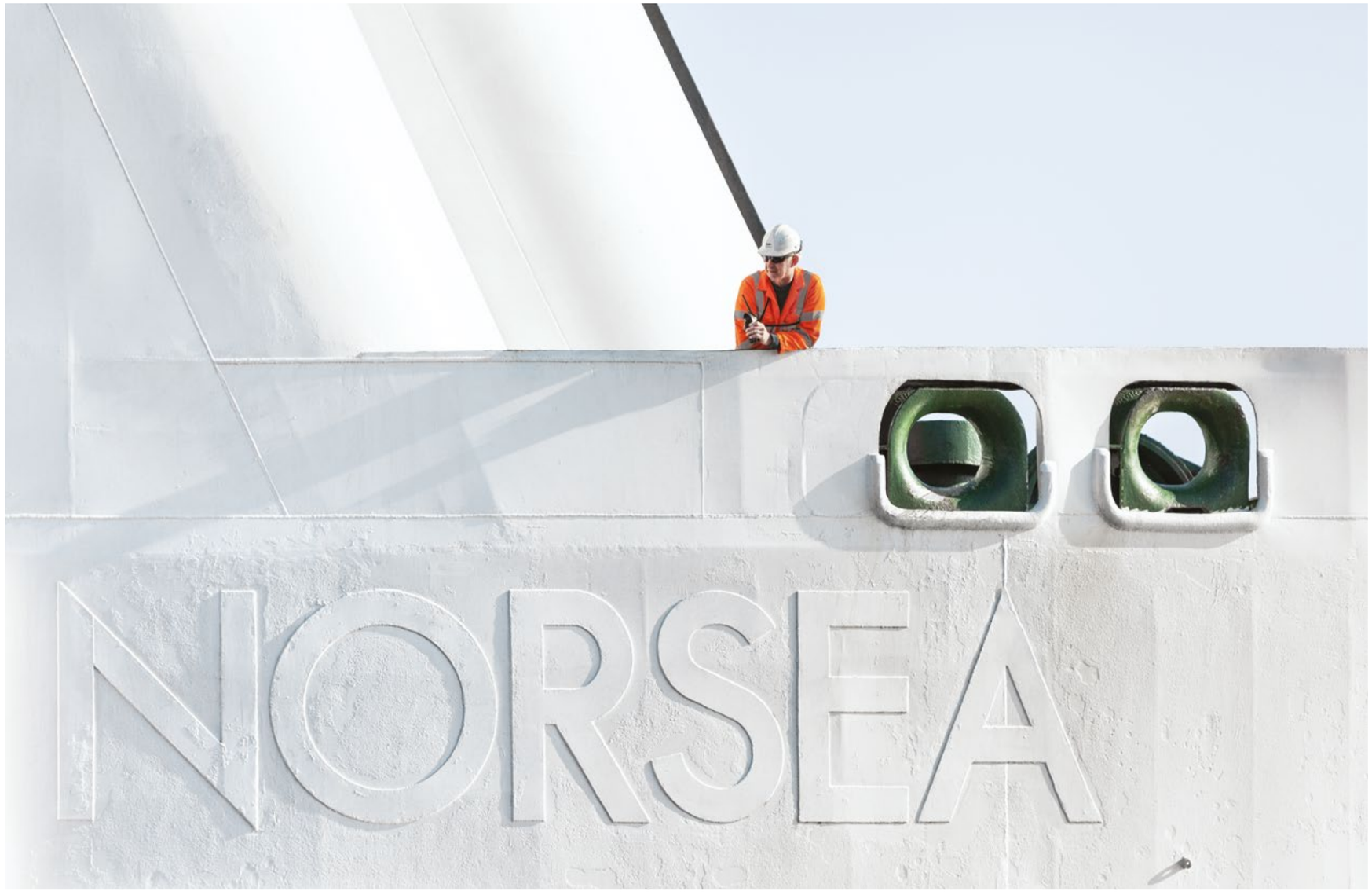
Investing in new infrastructure and equipment of course remains a fundamental part of our ability to safely deliver the best possible service for our customers. Since July last year, ABP has invested over £100 million in new state-of-the-art equipment and facilities to enable our business and our customers' businesses to grow.

On the Humber, the UK's busiest trading estuary, we have doubled our container handling capacity following a £50 million investment in new cranes and equipment. We have also introduced a new £800,000 crane in the Port of Ayr and upgraded infrastructure at the Port of Troon. In King's Lynn we opened the new £2.2 million Hanse Bulk Terminal in September and in December we completed a new extension to the Yara Terminal in Garston.

Work is well underway to construct a brand new £4.5 million bulk storage facility in Newport, in addition to £4 million of investment to support the steel sector in Cardiff. ABP's commitment to supporting the steel sector was also underlined in February when we successfully completed the acquisition of Newport-based steel distribution business W.E. Dowds.

In Southampton, the UK's number one export and automotive port, we were delighted to welcome trade minister The Rt. Hon Greg Hands MP, to open our new vehicle export terminal in November, part of a £50 million investment programme at the Port. Strong demand for trade through Southampton also led to our acquisition of Eling Wharf in January. ▷

Working to support broader employee wellbeing has been another important focus over the past 12 months. In October, ABP was proud to support World Mental Health Day and we have also rolled out enhanced employee occupational health provisions across the business. Making sure ABP is a great place to work has been further supported by a wide range of employee engagement initiatives and the delivery of new communications platforms such as the ABP employee app, launched in March, and ABP TV.



OUR ONGOING INVESTMENT REFLECTS OUR CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE GROWTH

Our relentless focus on delivering the highest standards of customer service has also been reflected in a number of achievements across the business over the past 12 months, such as ISO 9001: 2016 accreditation for bulk handling in South Wales and Southampton winning UK Cruise Departure Port of the Year for the ninth time in 2017. Behind the scenes, our multi-million pound business transformation programme designed to introduce cutting edge technology has made significant progress and will underpin our ability to deliver new, flexible and innovative solutions for our customers well into the future.

Our investment reflects our confidence in future growth, despite a challenging year in 2017.

In 2017 the total tonnage handled by ABP fell 3% to 86 million tonnes, mainly as a result of the continuing decline in demand for imported coal and a significant fall in agribulk volumes. Biomass volumes fell by 8% though our activity in the wider renewables sector received a further boost in February with the announcement of a £10 million investment in the Port of Lowestoft to support the East Anglia ONE offshore wind farm. Automotive remained flat overall at 1.7 million vehicles, though 2017 proved to be yet another record year for cruise with the Port of Southampton welcoming 2 million passengers for the first time.

Realising the full potential of ABP's 960 hectare land bank offers major opportunities to drive future growth. In November we strengthened our ability to realise that potential by launching our property arm, ABP Property, as a new £3.5 billion development and investment business. Taken together, ABP Property's sites across our 21 ports are capable of creating as much as 30 million square feet of accommodation for new logistics, assembly, manufacturing and other business operations.

Our investment has remained on track despite Brexit, which continues to be an important issue for ABP and the wider ports sector.

Over the past 12 months we have worked tirelessly with our colleagues in Government to make sure that trade can continue to flow and grow after the UK leaves the European Union. In January we were delighted to welcome the Secretary of State for Transport, The Rt. Hon Chris Grayling MP, to the first meeting of the UK Trade Resilience Forum. The Forum, established by ABP, brings together key representatives from across the supply chain and Government to discuss practical steps to facilitate trade and reduce the potential impact of a 'no deal' scenario when the UK leaves the European Union. The Forum builds on the work we have undertaken with colleagues in ports across Europe who share our commitment to keep EU trade flowing as smoothly as possible. A number of these European ports offer links to ports on the east coast of England, such as those on the Humber, and can enable customers to avoid the much publicised risk of disruption at the Port of Dover.

We have also continued our work on seizing the opportunities that Brexit may present, including the creation of Free Ports. A policy to enable Free Ports has the potential to help ports with large areas of development land, such as Port Talbot and Hull, to attract significant investment in new manufacturing, helping to rebalance the economy and stimulate export-led growth.

This was one of the ten key points highlighted in our policy paper, *'UK Ports: Realising a Global Opportunity'*, launched during London International Shipping Week (LISW) in September. ABP affirmed its commitment to LISW by organising a number of major events, including a joint reception with the Women's International Shipping and Trading Association, a policy seminar at Somerset House and a parliamentary lunch. We were also privileged to host senior representatives from the United States Government, facilitating meetings with their UK counterparts to discuss the future of maritime co-operation between the UK and USA. ▷

ABP remains committed to supporting the Government's drive to promote innovation in the maritime sector and in February we were pleased to sponsor a Smart Shipping event attended by the Secretary of State for Transport. ABP will continue to support the Government's Maritime 2050 initiative, the development of a long-term strategy to secure the future of the UK maritime sector.

In February we welcomed our new shipping minister, Nusrat Ghani MP, to the Port of Hull for the first time. Ms Ghani succeeds The Rt. Hon John Hayes CBE MP whose many achievements during his record tenure in the role included the Government's landmark Maritime Growth Study. Writing about her visit to Hull in ABP's new quarterly magazine, *Report*, Ms Ghani reflected on "how the maritime sector, alongside ABP, is seizing opportunities to transform people's lives and the economy, both regionally and nationally." The minister's comments are reinforced by new research showing that ABP currently supports 119,000 jobs around Britain and contributes £7.5 billion to the economy every year, an increase of 30% over previous estimates.

ABP's support for communities around Britain has reached new heights over the past year. The second half of 2017 concluded a successful year supporting Hull as the City of Culture and, in September, the first ABP Humber Coastal Half Marathon took place. More than 10,000 runners participated in the ABP Southampton Marathon in April and, now in its fourth year, the event raised over £400,000 for charity. The following month saw the inaugural ABP Newport Wales Marathon & 10K, with a further 10,000 runners taking to the streets to raise money for good causes.

In July, the ABP Southampton Sailing Academy celebrated five years of giving young people the opportunity to get out on the water. Also in July we celebrated the 30th anniversary of ABP's sponsorship of the Welsh National Opera and ABP organised a spectacular parade, filling Barrow's streets with colour to mark the 150th anniversary of the port. The work of our colleagues in Barrow to engage the local community was recognised in May when ABP Barrow was named UK Port of the Year.

Earlier this year ABP became the first corporate sponsor of ASTRiiD, the charity founded by the late Commander David Shutts OBE RN (retd.). ASTRiiD, which stands for Available Skills for Training, Refreshing, Improvement, Innovation and Development, connects people who have long-term illnesses with businesses looking to add talent and experience to their workforce. ABP is proud to continue its support of this important cause. In May 2018, we were pleased to welcome Peter Buckley, our first colleague from the ASTRiiD community, who joined our team as a Development Manager focusing on reducing ABP's carbon footprint and improving air quality.

A number of our colleagues have continued to dedicate considerable energy to improving the lives of others through volunteering and raising money for good causes. There are numerous examples around the group, including a team from our South Wales ports who took part in the Fastnet yacht race to raise £10,000 for the Jubilee Sailing Trust, and ABP colleagues from across the regions who competed in the annual Houses of Parliament Tug of War event to help raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. Other examples of our colleagues' support for charitable causes include colleagues from Ipswich who undertook a cycling challenge to support the local Mayor's charities, Southampton colleagues' family fun day to raise money for the Rainbow Centre supporting children with cerebral palsy, and Humber colleagues who donated 600 Easter eggs to the children's wards at Hull Royal Infirmary and Grimsby Hospital. ▷

The achievements of the past 12 months are a compelling testimony to the dedication of our people and I'd like to thank all our colleagues for their continued hard work

Caring for the environment is another core value for ABP. In September 2017 work on a £2.7 million improvement project undertaken by ABP South Wales to upgrade Green Park Weir on the River Afan in Port Talbot was completed. The Green Park Weir improvement project was the result of several years of collaboration between members of the River Afan Water Management Group who have been working in partnership to deliver sustainable natural resource management at the site.

We continue to bear down on our carbon footprint and ABP is on course to become one of the UK's largest corporate producers of solar energy. In May, the Ocean Terminal in Southampton became the first carbon neutral cruise terminal in the UK.

Improving air quality is at the heart of our sustainable development plans and we are currently investing in one of the UK's largest private networks of air quality monitoring stations. The data we gather will enable us to continue to improve air quality, alongside other initiatives which have seen ABP invest in a fleet of new electric vehicles in Southampton and intensify our work with shipping lines, hauliers and partners in local and national government.

Over the past year, colleagues have also worked on a number of other initiatives to benefit the environment with teams regularly venturing beyond our ports to clean up local coastal habitats as well as introducing new flora and fauna within our port estates. We have also been working to tackle the issue of marine plastic waste, including a trial of a new recycling scheme with TerraCycle in Hull and Goole to transform plastic waste into shampoo bottles.

The achievements of the past 12 months are a compelling testimony to the dedication of our people and I'd like to thank all our colleagues for their continued hard work. Our achievements also demonstrate once more the significant progress we have made in creating a resilient business capable of delivering safe and sustainable growth for the long term. As technology and markets change with increasing velocity, as competition intensifies and the international trading environment evolves, ABP is ready to continue to embrace new technology and new ways of working that reflect our values.

ABP is embracing the future.

And by embracing the future we will continue to succeed and fulfil our mission: keeping Britain trading. □

James Cooper
Chief Executive

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OUR ONGOING BEYOND ZERO PROGRAMME HAS SET A CHALLENGING OBJECTIVE: NO ACCIDENTS AT ABP.

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OUR ONGOING INVESTMENT IN PEOPLE OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS HAS ALSO SEEN THE CREATION OF THE NEW ABP ACADEMY AND EXPANSION OF THE APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITIES WE OFFER

REACHING OUT TO YOUNG PEOPLE REMAINS A CENTRAL PART OF OUR STRATEGY TO BUILD FOR THE FUTURE

SINCE JULY LAST YEAR ABP HAS INVESTED OVER £100 MILLION IN NEW STATE-OF-THE-ART EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES TO ENABLE OUR BUSINESS AND OUR CUSTOMERS' BUSINESSES TO GROW

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ABP'S SUPPORT FOR COMMUNITIES AROUND BRITAIN HAS REACHED NEW HEIGHTS OVER THE PAST YEAR

IN 2017 ABP WAS PROUD TO SUPPORT A POP-UP GALLERY CELEBRATING THE HISTORY OF THE PORT OF HULL

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1 Diver preparing for descent. Albert Dock, Hull. September, 1953 by Donald I. Innes, as seen at the ABP Pump House Gallery in the port of Hull, part of ABP's celebration of the City of Culture 2017.

2 Double-decker bus being shipped to Denmark by 40 ton crane. Albert Dock, Hull. April, 1948.

3 New Austin Minis arrive by rail. Alexandra Dock, Hull. April, 1964. Photographer – Donald I. Innes.

4 Launching of the twin grab hopper dredger 'Burcom Sand', at Cook, Welton & Gemmel's yard, Beverley. April, 1954. Photographer – Donald I. Innes.

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HULL 2017 UK City of Culture

MAJOR PARTNER

OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS WE HAVE WORKED TIRELESSLY WITH OUR COLLEAGUES IN GOVERNMENT TO MAKE SURE THAT TRADE CAN CONTINUE TO FLOW AND GROW AFTER THE UK LEAVES THE EUROPEAN UNION

CARING FOR THE ENVIRONMENT IS A CORE VALUE FOR ABP

IMPROVING AIR QUALITY IS AT THE HEART OF OUR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PLANS

2017/2018 HIGHLIGHTS

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ABP INVESTS IN CUTTING EDGE SIMULATOR TRAINING FOR EMPLOYEES ON THE HUMBER

New realistic, adaptive marine, crane and HGV simulators help train individuals, develop teams and test processes quickly and cost effectively.

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RELENTLESS FOCUS ON INNOVATION AND SAFETY

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PORT OF BARROW PARADE

ABP organises a celebration parade for the local community marking 150 years of the port and town of Barrow.

30 YEARS OF ABP WELSH NATIONAL OPERA SPONSORSHIP

CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER SPEAKS AT ANNUAL ABP PARLIAMENTARY LUNCH

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ABP HUMBER CELEBRATES FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT SUCCESS

Around 200 ABP Humber employees, stakeholders and customers put their football skills to the test by taking part in a charity 8-a-side football match, raising £2,400 for St Andrew's Hospice in Grimsby.

A GREAT SUM WAS RAISED FOR OUR LOCAL HOSPICE

ABP SOUTHAMPTON INVESTS IN NEW FLEET OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES

YACHT TACKTIC RAISES £10,000 FOR JUBILEE SAILING TRUST

PORT OF IPSWICH OPENS ITS DOORS FOR MARITIME FESTIVAL WEEKEND

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORT VISITS THE PORT OF SOUTHAMPTON

The Rt Hon Chris Grayling MP is given an insight into the workings of the UK's number one export and largest vehicle handling port.

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ABP EVENT CELEBRATES WOMEN IN THE MARITIME INDUSTRY

ABP joins forces with the Women's International Shipping and Trading Association to celebrate women's contribution to the maritime industry at major City Hall event during London International Shipping Week.

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PORT OF KING'S LYNN CELEBRATES NEW BULK STORE TERMINAL OPENING

£2.2 million bulk store terminal is unveiled, providing new state-of-the-art facilities to ABP customers.

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PORTS AND MARITIME REPRESENT A MAJOR GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY FOR THE UK ECONOMY

ABP DELIVERS ON LONDON INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING WEEK AMBITIONS

COMMUNITIES COME TOGETHER TO WATCH THE FIRST ABP HUMBER COASTAL HALF MARATHON

SOUTHAMPTON WELCOMES WORLD'S FIRST DUAL-FUEL CAR AND TRUCK CARRIER

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2017 CHAIRMAN'S AND APPRENTICE AWARDS

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RECORD ATTENDANCE AT ABP PARTY CONFERENCE EVENTS

ABP's Sea Fare and Sea Shanty reception delights and informs more than 500 delegates at political party conferences. A joint fringe meeting with *Prospect* magazine is also held at the Conservative conference as ABP makes the case for ports and maritime to Britain's policy makers.

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ABP IPSWICH'S ALAN MASON RETIRES AFTER MORE THAN HALF A CENTURY OF SERVICE

A series of events are held to celebrate the retirement of an ABP legend who began working at ABP Ipswich in 1964.

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ABP MARKS WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY NATIONWIDE

ABP INTRODUCES 50,000 HONEY BEES TO SUPPORT LOCAL ECOSYSTEM

ABP LAUNCHES POP-UP GALLERY TO CELEBRATE HULL'S MARITIME HERITAGE

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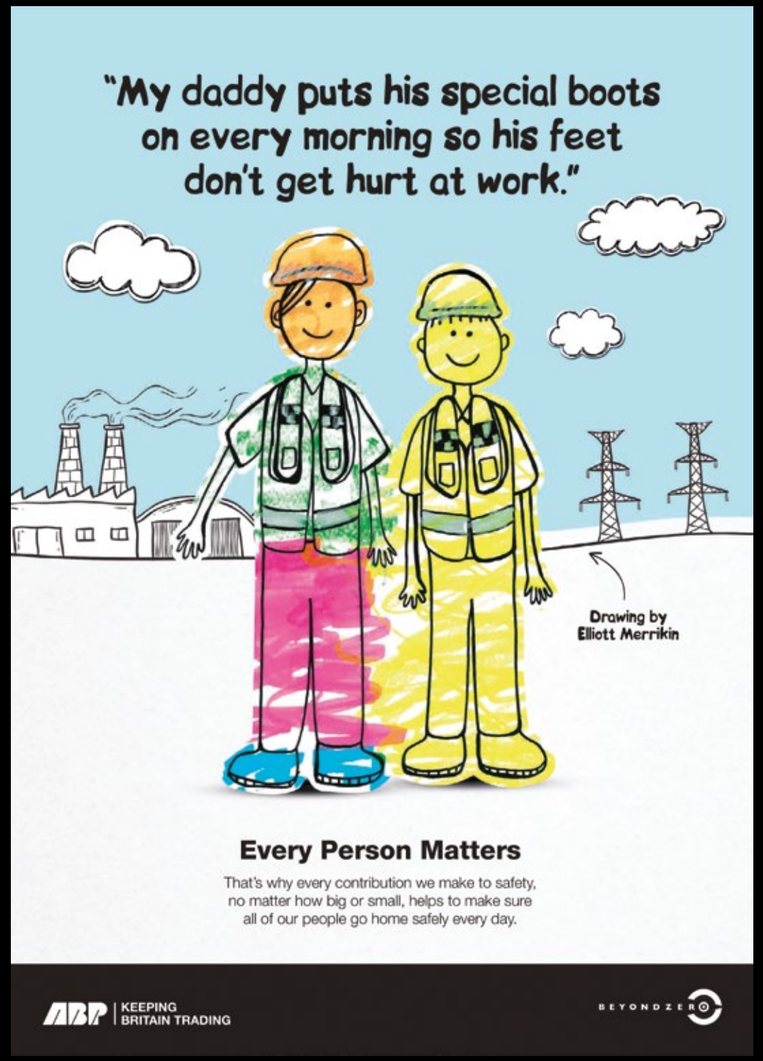

IN 2017 OUR CREATIVE KIDS CAMPAIGN HELPED SPREAD THE SAFETY MESSAGE BY ATTRACTING MORE THAN 200 ENTRIES TO THE BEYOND ZERO SAFETY POSTER COMPETITION

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NEW VEHICLE EXPORT TERMINAL OPENED BY INTERNATIONAL TRADE MINISTER

A new facility, part of a £50 million investment programme, is officially opened by the Minister of State for International Trade, the Rt Hon Greg Hands MP, reinforcing the Port of Southampton's position as the UK's largest hub for automotive exports.

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ABP SOUTHAMPTON WELCOMES THE LARGEST CONTAINER SHIP EVER TO VISIT THE PORT

Triple-E class 'megaship' the Milan Maersk, with a capacity for 20,568 containers, becomes the largest vessel to visit ABP Southampton. It joins the ranks of giants MOL Triumph and MOL Trust in visiting the port in 2017.

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PORTS OF AYR AND TROON CELEBRATE DELIVERY OF NEW SCOTTISH-BUILT PILOT VESSEL

ABP SOUTHAMPTON RESTORES ICONIC NAVIGATION AID

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£3.5 BILLION ABP PROPERTY LAUNCHED TO INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY PROFESSIONALS AT THE GHERKIN

ABP's property development arm, with a 2,400 acre land bank, is launched at a London event attended by 150 industry representatives, on the top floor of the iconic landmark at 30 St Mary Axe.

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ABP ON COURSE TO BECOME ONE OF UK'S BIGGEST CORPORATE SOLAR POWER PRODUCERS

Plans are announced by ABP to build a further 20MW of solar panel arrays. The investment could make ABP's 21 ports home to 100,000 solar panels generating up to 22,400,000kWh of clean electricity each year.

WE ARE AN INCREASINGLY SIGNIFICANT RENEWABLE ENERGY GENERATOR IN OUR OWN RIGHT

SOUTHAMPTON CELEBRATES 2 MILLION PASSENGERS

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN VISITS GREEN PORT HULL

ABP SOUTHAMPTON VOTED BEST UK DEPARTURE PORT FOR NINTH YEAR IN SUCCESSION

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PORT OF TEIGNMOUTH CELEBRATES HIGHEST TONNAGE LEVELS IN A DECADE

A ten-year high is announced for ABP Teignmouth as it handles over 450,000 tonnes in 2017, comprising clay, animal feed and aggregates, all achieved thanks to ABP's programme of continuous investment in port infrastructure and equipment.

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ABP SOUTHAMPTON ACQUIRES ELING WHARF

THE PORT OF HULL DONATES THOUSANDS OF POUNDS TO HULL CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY

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WE ARE AIMING TO INSPIRE A NEW GENERATION

LOCAL PUPILS WHO HELPED NAME NEW HANSE BULK TERMINAL RETURN TO PORT OF KING'S LYNN

Local pupils are invited to an educational and fun visit to the port to say thank you for naming two of the bays in the new £2.2 million Hanse Bulk Terminal. They had chosen the names 'Savage's Carousel' in honour of Frederick Savage, best known for innovations in fare ground rides, and 'St Edmund's Bay', named after their school.

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ABP CRANE INVESTMENT SET TO LIFT BOOMING PORT OF HULL TO NEW HEIGHTS

New state-of-the-art cranes worth £10.5 million enable ABP's Hull Container Terminal to handle double the volume of trade by increasing capacity to more than 400,000 units per year.

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WORK BEGINS ON £4.5 MILLION WAREHOUSE INVESTMENT AT PORT OF NEWPORT

KEEPING BRITAIN TRADING DESPITE 'BEAST FROM THE EAST' STORM

SHIPPING MINISTER VISITS PORT OF HULL

Nusrat Ghani MP tours port with Humber Ports Director Simon Bird to learn more about ABP's Humber Ports and future trade opportunities.

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PORT COMMITS TO DRIVING SAFETY FORWARD FROM IMMINGHAM TO THE NATION

PORT OF AYR CELEBRATES DELIVERY OF NEW STATE-OF-THE-ART CRANE TO IMPROVE OPERATIONS

OUR PORTS AND SHIPPING INDUSTRIES EPITOMISE THE NATION'S STRENGTHS

BREXIT MINISTER LOOKS TO THE FUTURE DURING VISIT TO THE PORT OF SOUTHAMPTON

Suella Braverman MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State at the Department for Exiting the European Union, visits the UK's number one export port.

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ABP AND WOMEN IN JOURNALISM TEAM UP TO CELEBRATE 100 YEARS OF WOMEN'S RIGHT TO VOTE

Speeches are made at Westminster event by former Home Secretary and Minister for Women and Equalities, The Rt Hon Amber Rudd MP, and the Editorial Director of *The Sunday Times*, Eleanor Mills, marking the 100th year since the Representation of the People Act allowed women to vote.

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HENRIK L. PEDERSEN APPOINTED NEW ABP CHIEF EXECUTIVE

ABP announces Henrik Pedersen's appointment as new Chief Executive, taking over from James Cooper in August 2018.

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RACE OF THE CLASSICS RETURNS TO IPSWICH HAVEN MARINA WITH A FLEET OF HISTORIC TALL SHIPS

HUNDREDS OF CHILDREN SET SAIL WITH ABP HULL CRUISES

THOUSANDS OF REASONS TO LOVE THE ABP SOUTHAMPTON MARATHON

30,000 spectators and an army of more than 850 volunteers cheer on the 10,000 runners taking part in the 2018 ABP Southampton Marathon, Half Marathon and 10K. The event, in its fourth year, raised over £400,000 for charitable causes.

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FORMER PHYSICS TEACHER PETER BUCKLEY JOINS ABP AS AN AIR QUALITY DEVELOPMENT MANAGER IN MAY, BECOMING THE FIRST PERSON TO HAVE STARTED WORK THROUGH ASTRIID.

ASTRiiD THE INVISIBLE TALENTPOOL www.astriid.force.com

PORT OF SOUTHAMPTON BECOMES HOME TO THE COUNTRY'S FIRST CARBON NEUTRAL CRUISE TERMINAL

Major milestone is reached in a programme to invest more than £1 million in solar energy on ABP-owned buildings. As part of the project, more than 2,000 roof-mounted solar panels are installed on ABP Southampton's Ocean Terminal. With its new carbon neutral status, the building is now generating more electricity than it is consuming.

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PORT OF BARROW WINS PORT OF THE YEAR AWARD AT 10TH ANNUAL UK PORTS CONFERENCE

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PORT OF SOUTHAMPTON WELCOMES SHIPPING MINISTER

Nusrat Ghani MP, the Minister responsible for maritime, skills and apprenticeships, visits the port to meet some of ABP's multi-skilled apprentices, also meeting those who have completed the apprenticeship programme and are now in full-time employment with ABP.

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ABP COLLEAGUES FROM ACROSS THE REGIONS COMPETE IN THE ANNUAL HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT TUG OF WAR EVENT

In June 2018, women's and men's teams from ABP compete in a charity event to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Support. Overall, the charity evening raises more than £140,000, with the women's team bringing home the trophy.

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ABP IPSWICH TEAM COMPLETES 100 MILE CYCLING CHALLENGE TO RAISE FUNDS FOR ST ELIZABETH HOSPICE

THE PORT OF HULL ANCHORS EXTRA CRUISE CALLINGS

ABP announces that this year seven cruise ships, including a six star expedition liner, choose to berth at the Port of Hull as it becomes an increasingly popular cruise calling destination.

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APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR NEXT INTAKE OF HUMBER ENGINEERING APPRENTICES

PORT OF SILLOTH INVESTS £250,000 IN NEW SOLAR FARM ON MARSHALL DOCK

A total of 960 solar panels are installed on the northern side of the port's Marshall Dock. The annual generation of the site is set to average 220,000 kWh per annum.

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CONTAINERS

1.4m units +0%

VEHICLES

1.7m units +0%

LIQUID BULKS

21.9mt -1%

IRON ORE

9.4mt -1%

CRUISE PASSENGERS*

1.8m +0%

*Turnaround calls only

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649,000 units +1%

BIOMASS

4.5mt -8%

AGRIBULKS

3.8mt -28%

FERRY PASSENGERS

1.2m -8%

COAL

6.2mt -17%

OVERALL

86mt -3%

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