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A&S International becomes a Green Award Incentive Provider

UK based technical sales consultancy A&S International Ltd has joined the Green Award programme as an incentive provider. This is recognition of A&S International's contribution to the improvement of quality, safety and environmental improvement in the maritime industry. *"We are all really pleased that the sustainable nature of our product range has been recognized. It is great for us to participate in the Green Award scheme along with our distributors in Greece, Netherlands & New Zealand,"* said Angus Macdonald, Director.

Green Award incentive providers as well as certified companies and seagoing ships are entitled to a 5% discount to certified companies on all Oil Spill Eater II & Viper Wire Rope Lubricator orders.

Environmentally Friendly

A&S International represents a variety of brands with excellent environmental credentials including: *Oil Spill Eater II* is a biological enzyme bioremediation solution for cleaning up hydrocarbon spills on both water & land – mix it 1:50 with naturally occurring water & after consuming the hydrocarbons leaves just CO₂ & water.

Viper Wire Rope Lubricator helps to reduce lubricant consumption & contamination by efficiently & effectively applying lubricants to critical wire ropes – thereby also increasing their life.

isoPOD containerized lubricant storage ensures the correct best practice in terms of ensuring that lubricants remain clean, cool & dry and not able to contaminate the environment.

Safety

Viper Wire Rope Lubricator helps to improve the safety of maritime maintenance personnel by efficiently automatically applying lubricants to wire ropes – negating the need to manually do so.

Reliability

A&S International also markets & sells the *TST Flaw Detection System* for wire ropes – a product that effectively & safely checks the condition & reliability of wire ropes.

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Green Award; the pride of the oceans

The Green Award scheme was established in 1994 to stimulate cleaner and safer maritime shipping. All over the world there are ships and ship managers that hold a Green Award certificate. Green Award is a non-profit organization and certification takes place on a voluntary basis.

About A&S International

An experienced technical sales consultancy representing a range of machinery lubrication & bioremediation brands via a global network of expert distributors.

Our team's well-established, trusted & professional network of distributors from Australia to Zimbabwe - all of whom have many years of expertise in the machinery lubrication sector. We proudly offer them a range of exciting, unique & market leading brands & provide them with further support such as regular training, consulting and client visits.

<https://www.aands.international/our-brands/>

About Green Award Foundation

Green Award certifies sea-going oil and chemical tankers, bulk carriers, LNG and LPG carriers, container carriers, offshore vessels, RoRo, inland navigation barges and river cruise vessels. Its assessment criteria cover environmental, quality and safety aspects, and performance of management and the crew. With this comprehensive approach and a diverse team of the industry's experts supporting the scheme, Green Award secures the quality of its audits and real value of its certificate.

With over 140 ports and other maritime related organisations providing discounts to the certified companies and ships, the scheme motivates ship owners and managers to invest in the improvements on board and ashore and serves as a reliable Corporate Social Responsibility and risk reduction tool for participating shipping companies, ports and maritime service providers.

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