NOR FEEDER

IMO No: 9144689 CONTAINER 1998 / 3999 GT

COMPANY:

YARD INFORMATION:

DEMOLITION:

Karmøy Skipsconsult Management

AS, Norway

J.J. Sietas KG Schiffswerft GmbH &

Co (Germany) 1139 Design: Sietas-151



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<u>2018:</u> Sold by Arriva Shipping AS, Norway to Dutch A2B-online (technical management: Holwerda Shipmanagement BV). Renamed **A2B SPIRIT**.

BASIC DATA:

GT: 3999 DWT: 5202 TEU: 508 Reefer: 72 LOA: 101.15 Bmd: 18.20 Draught: 6.55

Engine: 1x oil MaK 9M32

Power: 3825 kW Speed: 15.0 kn

OWNER & FLAG HISTORY:

A2B SPIRIT since 01/02/2018

NOR FEEDER since 01/11/2006

Flag Date of record Source

Netherlands since 01/02/2018

Norway (NIS) since 01/09/2015

Gibraltar since 01/11/2006

United Kingdom since 01/11/2002

Registered owner Date of record Source

A2B-ONLINE 5 BV during 02/2018

ARRIVA SHIPPING AS during 02/2016

FEEDERSHIP since 15/09/2015

ARRIVA SHIPOWNING AS since 01/04/2007

FEEDERSHIP since 01/11/2006 Ship manager Date of record Source

HOLWERDA SHIPMANAGEMENT BV during 02/2018

ARRIVA SHIPPING AS since 15/09/2015 ARRIVA SHIPOWNING AS since 15/09/2015

EX-NAMES:

JAN FABIAN	1998-02	ms "Jan Fabian" Heinz Georg Voge KG,	
JAN FABIAN	2002-06	ms "Jan Fabian" Heinz Georg Voge KG, UK	
NOR FEEDER	2006-07	Sandfrakt Rederi AS, Gibraltar	
NOR FEEDER	2007-15	Arriva Shipowning AS, Gibraltar	
NOR FEEDER	2015-16	Feedership, Norway (NIS)	
NOR FEEDER	2016-18	Arriva Shipping AS, Norway (NIS)	
A2B SPIRIT	2018-	A2B Online 5 BV, Netherlands	

GENERAL VESSEL INFORMATION:

2006: TradeWinds

Date	Name	Type	DWT	BLT	Yard	Manufacturerl	Manufacturer2	Manufacturer3	Price	Buyerl	Buyer2
12/0	5 Jan Fabian	Cont	5202	98	Germany	MaK	508 teu	tc Eur 6400	12.30	Norwegian	Sandfrakt

2018:



Im Februar soll die für rund 2,1 Millionen Dollar von Arriva Shipping aus Haugesund erworbene "Nor Feeder" (IMO 9144689) übernommen und nach einem Werftaufenthalt mit neuer Klasse in Dienst gestellt werden. Es handelt sich um einen im März 1998 von der Hamburger Sietas-Werft unter dem Taufnamen "Jan-Fabian" an die Reederei Vöge in Stade gelieferten und 2006 nach Norwegen veräußerten 5200-Tonner des Typs "101? mit Stellplätzen für 508 TEU.

Aus dieser Baureihe hat A2B-online nunmehr vier ehemals deutsche Einheiten in die Flotte geholt. Die Schwesterschiffe "Jacob Becker", "Corsar" und "Comet" sind heute als "A2B Future", "A2B Energy" und "A2B Comfort" im Einsatz. Für den Neuzugang "Nor Feeder" ist der neue Name "A2B Spirit" vorgesehen. Zudem betreibt A2B-online die im Juni 2017 aus Ungarn gekaufte und mit 6860 tdw und Stellplätzen für 658 TEU etwas größere "A2B Independent", die vor 20 Jahren als Sietas-Neubau "Antje Russ" in Fahrt gekommen war.

Kees Vierhouten als Hauptinvestor und Gerard de Groot als Miteigentümer und geschäftsführender Direktor hatten A2B-online im Juni 2013 gegründet. Mit dem Crewing und der nautisch-technischen Betreuung der unter niederländischer Flagge fahrenden Flotte haben sie die Reederei Holwerda Shipmanagement in Heerenveen beauftragt.

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Shortsea container carrier A2B-online, which operates a set of container services between the Netherlands and the UK is forging ahead with the expansion of its fleet of owned containerships. The carrier has just purchased a further vessel, the 508 teu NOR FEEDER (Sietas typ 151) which it bought from Norwegian owner Arriva Shipping AS. The ship has been renamed A2B SPIRIT and joins the A2B-online's Netherlands-UK network this week after having undergone maintenance in Rotterdam.

The A2B SPIRIT is the fifth ship bought by A2B-online in the last three years. She is also the fourth unit of the 'Sietas 151' type which the carrier seems to particularly appreciate, adding to the 508 teu A2B FUTURE (ex DETTE G), A2B COMFORT (ex ALMA) and A2B ENERGY (ex CORSA). A2B's largest vessel is currently the 658 teu A2B INDE-PENDENT (ex PHOENIX II) purchased in spring 2017. It also charters two smaller units, the 366 teu ORION and the 326 teu ANJA.

A2B-online has been operating since 2013 a set of shortsea container services connecting the Dutch port of Moerdijk (South of Rotterdam) to Thamesport, Immingham, Teesport and Blyth in the UK. The carrier, part of a wider group with activities in road haulage and logistics has enjoyed a sustained development, benefitting fully from strongly growing cargo exchanges between the UK and Continental Europe over the last few years.

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