



Virtu Finance p.l.c.

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COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

Virtu Finance plc

Time Charter of M/V JEAN DE LA VALETTE

Date of Announcement	17 May 2019
Reference	10/2019
In terms of Chapter 5 of the Listing Rules	

QUOTE

The Board of Directors of Virtu Finance plc is pleased to announce that on 16 May 2019 Virtu Fast Ferries Limited, a company forming part of the Virtu Maritime Group ("Virtu"), signed a BIMCO ROPAXTIME charter party agreement with the Trinidad & Tobago State-owned company, the National Infrastructure Development Company Limited, for the charter of the High-speed passenger/cargo roll-on/roll-off catamaran, the M/V JEAN DE LA VALETTE.

The M/V JEAN DE LA VALETTE, which throughout the charter will be operated by Virtu, will be deployed by the Government of Trinidad & Tobago on the domestic route connecting the main island of Trinidad to the sister island of Tobago. Virtu was awarded this charter after an international call by the Government of Trinidad & Tobago.

The 107 meter ferry, M/V JEAN DE LA VALETTE, was delivered to Virtu by Austal Ships Pty Limited, Western Australia in 2010, and has just completed a major drydocking and refit in Cadiz, Spain. The vessel carries 800 passengers and has a garage capacity of 156 cars or 45 cars and 342 Truck Lane Meters. The Malta-Sicily route, previously operated by the M/V JEAN DE LA VALETTE, will continue to be operated by Virtu's M/V SAINT JOHN PAUL II.

UNQUOTE

By order of the Board of Directors of Virtu Finance p.l.c.

Malcolm Falzon
COMPANY SECRETARY