System Interface

All advantages in a nutshell

- ⟳ Opportunities for expanding your customer portfolio
- ⟳ Publication of your logo on our website
- ⟳ Inform prospective customers together

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- Barge Planning
- Cargo Declaration Export
- Cargo Declaration Import
- Cargo Information
- Declaration Food and Consumer Products
- Loading List
- Notification Dangerous Goods
- Notification Import Documentation
- Notification Local Clearance
- Rail Planning
- Road Planning
- Transport Order
- Vessel Notification

Become a Portbase Supplier in six steps

As a software supplier, you can connect your potential and existing clients to the Port Community System (PCS) simply and easily. Portbase is eager to help you convince them of the benefits. Of course, we will help you realise the desired connections as well. As soon as you support the live exchange of messages for a single client, we will award you with the status Supplier. And all the benefits that come with it.

Why become a Supplier?

The PCS provides the digital infrastructure for Dutch ports. Using a large number of intelligent services, all parties in the logistical chains are able to exchange information safely and efficiently. This includes both the required notifications, for example those to Harbour Masters and Customs, and the mutual exchange of information between businesses in the logistical chain as well.

The more businesses participating in the PCS, the more valuable using it becomes. Portbase strives to serve the common interest through its continued expansion and would like to work together with you in this ongoing effort. As a software supplier, you are an important link with logistical businesses for us. Many participants are now accessing the PCS via internet. A system interface could offer them considerable benefits. The optimal reuse of data leads to increased work efficiency and therefore saves both time and money.

Become a Supplier in six steps

By following six steps, you can realise a Portbase system interface for your customer(s) and become an official Supplier yourself:

1. At www.portbase.com/en/interfaces, the message specifications are listed for all services for which a system interface with the PCS is possible. You can request access to these message specifications for each service;
2. After your application is received, we will supply you with a log-in code for access to the secure section of our website, where the the message specifications are listed;
3. There is also an instruction available for each service to help you construct the system interface;
4. Together with one of our interface specialists, you can then test these messages in an acceptance environment. Our interface specialists can help you with any questions related to connecting with the PCS production environment;
5. In the meantime, your customer must register with Portbase (using an application form, available via sales@portbase.com);
6. Then, as soon as a successful message exchange between your client and the PCS has occurred, you will receive the status of Supplier.

Supplier benefits

As a Supplier, you will be listed (along with your logo) on our website www.portbase.com. This will bring you to the direct attention of businesses in search of an expert software supplier for establishing a system interface with the PCS. You can of course use the Supplier designation in your own commercial communications. Portbase will be happy to lend its own logo for this purpose; feel free to include it on your website.

More information

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