

ABNORMAL LOAD & PROJECT CARGO SPECIALISTS



Transported from Sneek in the Netherlands to Linton Lock on the River Ouse, this Archimedes Screw, used to generate green power from the river flow, is the largest ever installed in the UK at 13m long by 5m high.

ABOUT SLS

Specialist Logistics Services Ltd. (SLS) provides expert, global, abnormal load handling and general freight forwarding services. The movement of abnormal loads and heavy equipment is the backbone of our business.

Our staff have over 50 years' experience in the industry and can offer bespoke, economic solutions to all abnormal load movements. Our attention to detail is a pre-requisite to our success and our ability to advise our clients on the correct procedures to be followed in relation to each project is second to none.

Satisfied customers are the key to our business and we treat each project accordingly. We regard every load as unique and as such bring to bear our significant depth of knowledge to ensure our client's requirements are not only met but also exceeded.



SERVICES

As heavy machinery and plant as well as other items of abnormal cargo become more sophisticated the need to be able to offer a one-stop-shop service to our customers becomes more relevant than ever before.

Every out-of-gauge cargo movement presents its own unique challenges and requires the knowledge and attention to detail SLS possess to ensure that the most secure, effective, and economic movement is achieved.

At SLS our experienced personnel are available to provide help and advice for your domestic, European and worldwide heavy haulage requirements including the following:

- **PROJECT CARGO**
- **SPECIALIST INSTALLATION SERVICES**
- **GENERAL FREIGHT FORWARDING: ROAD / RAIL / SEA / AIR**
- **SPECIALIST PACKAGING & STORAGE SERVICES**



ROAD



RAIL

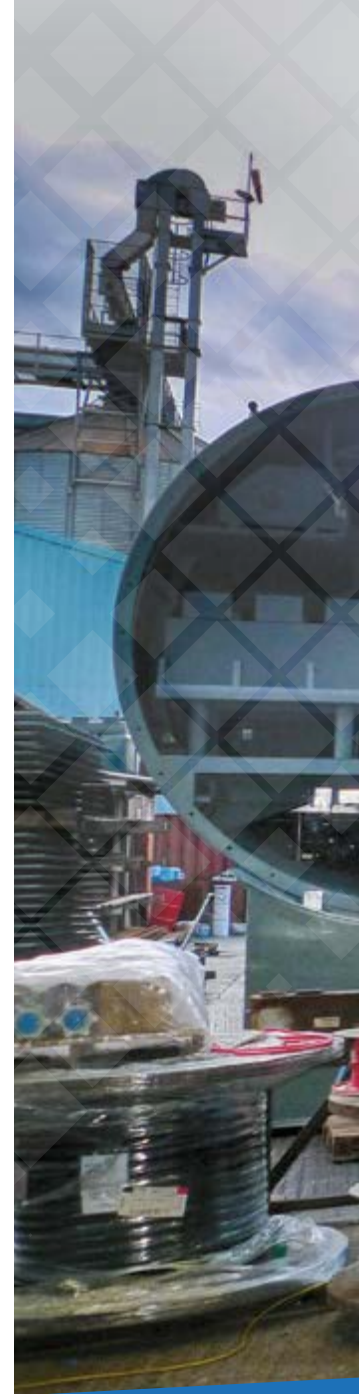


SEA



AIR

We welcome enquires regarding the provision of any of these services and hope to be of assistance to you and your business.



The delivery of this fire training system cockpit assembly was project managed from its loading in Derbyshire in the UK through to delivery at Ashgabat airport in Turkmenistan.





WE HAVE ALWAYS BEEN COMPLETELY
SATISFIED WITH THEIR SERVICE.
THEY ARE PROFESSIONAL,
KNOWLEDGEABLE AND INFORMATIVE...
THEY DO AN EXCELLENT JOB.

*Geoff Taylor,
Commercial & Project Manager,
Air & Cargo Services Ltd.*







Dual Crane lift turns the test chamber section into the vertical plane before partial assembly prior to installation at Harwell, Oxfordshire.

PROJECT CARGO

OVER THE YEARS THE MOVEMENT OF PROJECT CARGO HAS BECOME EVERMORE COMPLEX.



Cargo for a single project may need to be shipped from multiple locations around the world and often requires delivery to the final site location at a specified time, regardless of where each consignment originated.

SLS have over 50 years' experience in the movement of all types of Project Cargo and, from our offices in Biggleswade, Bedfordshire, utilising a network of trusted partners worldwide, are able to supervise even the largest projects.

SLS is able to organise all permits and permissions that may be required, enabling 'Out of Gauge' Project Cargo to be moved not only in the UK but also across Europe and the rest of the world. This requires an in-depth knowledge of transport law both in the UK and abroad, as well as the ability to negotiate with government departments and other interested parties such as the Police and highways authorities. It is this expertise that enables us to provide seamless solutions through to the final destination with the least disruption en-route.

With our extensive knowledge of trailer types and configurations, we offer our clients practical, economic solutions for the movement of Project Cargo worldwide.

Project planning and attention to detail are vital, so in order to ascertain the viability of a project from design through to final delivery, SLS are able to provide comprehensive route surveys including the provision of full photographic reports. We handle all communications with local authorities, highways authorities, rail, waterways and bridge authorities, police and utilities companies, allowing us to provide a seamless solution for the movement of your cargo.

Moreover, SLS are able to offer project management and site surveys as well as 'All Risks' insurance cover via our specialist insurance broker, should our standard insurance policies not fully cover your requirements.

SPECIALIST INSTALLATION SERVICES


SLS HAS COMPREHENSIVE AND PROVEN PARTNERSHIPS WITH A GLOBAL NETWORK OF ENGINEERING AND INSTALLATION COMPANIES.

These partners are skilled in providing engineering solutions for the installation of heavy or complex machinery and equipment. This includes complete risk management for the whole project and the issue of RAMS and Lift Plans.

We offer wide-ranging solutions to complex handling issues using specialist lifting equipment, mobile cranes, Hiab crane trucks and heavy-duty forklifts. Alternatively we can provide state-of-the-art lifting equipment when a crane may not provide a practical or economic solution.

SLS offers full project management solutions from initial planning and transit, through to completion, irrespective of project scale. Whether you are looking at the movement of a single machine or a complete factory re-location, we provide teams of skilled and experienced engineers with fully equipped vehicles that are able to handle the most complex equipment installation or extraction tasks, both in the UK and worldwide.





Laser alignment of a Vacuum Test Chamber, loaded initially in Vlissingen in the Netherlands for installation at Harwell Campus, Oxfordshire prior to final positioning in a dedicated clean room.



WE'VE WORKED WITH SLS FOR SEVERAL YEARS AND THEY HAVE ALWAYS EXCEEDED OUR EXPECTATIONS. THEIR MARKET KNOWLEDGE OUTSTRIPS EVERY OTHER SUPPLIER WE'VE USED AND THEY'RE A PLEASURE TO WORK WITH.

*Alberto Garbayo,
Business Development Director, AVS.*





THANKS A LOT EVERYBODY FOR
YOUR SUPPORT.

PLEASE COULD YOU EXTEND MY
DEEPEST THANKS TO ALL YOUR
TEAM. GREAT JOB.

*Diego De La Cruz,
Site Manager, LAB.*



GENERAL FREIGHT FORWARDING

SLS AIM TO PROVIDE CLIENTS WITH THE MOST SUITABLE SOLUTION TAILORED TO THEIR TIME SCALES AND BUDGETS.

At SLS our staff regularly provide help and advice in relation to the movement of standard cargo allowing us to offer a one-stop-shop service that clients frequently appreciate.

We support major manufactures throughout Europe with single and multiple trailer movements utilising any, or all, of the following trailer types:

- **Euroliners, Mega Euro Liners, Wagon & Drag combinations, Road Trains**
- **Flat Trailers, Rigid Trailers, Swop Bodies, Box & Ambient trailers**
- **Container Shipping, using standard equipment or utilising self-loading/discharging trailers**
- **Hiab equipped crane trailers**

In addition, our staff are able to arrange Sea & Air Freight movements of cargo around the world combined with help and advice on import/export customs formalities as well as any documentation requirements.



SPECIALIST PACKING & STORAGE SERVICES

AT SLS WE'RE ABLE TO PROVIDE BESPOKE PACKING SOLUTIONS FOR OUR CLIENTS.

We design and manufacture anything from a simple pallet or basic transport case, to a bespoke packing solution using the latest high-quality materials to ensure maximum protection for your cargo during its journey.

In conjunction with various partners we also offer a full range of storage solutions. From outside secure storage for items such as plant and machinery, to standard warehousing, right through to fully secure ambient storage for consignments such as pieces of fine art and other high-value items.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON HOW SLS CAN HELP YOU MEET YOUR ABNORMAL LOAD AND FREIGHT FORWARDING CHALLENGES, PLEASE CONTACT US ON **+44 (0)1767 348496** OR EMAIL **INFO@SPECIALISTLOGISTICSSERVICES.COM**



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