



## News Release

### SMIT Tug Mooring Facility at Squamish Terminals

**Squamish, BC, May 15, 2014** - SMIT is pleased to announce that it will locate a Tug Mooring Facility at Squamish Terminals to service its customers' harbour towage needs in the Howe Sound area and beyond. "We are thrilled to be able to better serve the needs of our customers by working with Squamish Terminals and positioning tugs at their location", says Frans Tjallingii, President of SMIT Marine Canada and its subsidiary companies.

The Tug Mooring Facility will be operational by mid-summer 2014.

"We are pleased to have SMIT, one of the premier harbour towage operators, as an industry partner. Over the past several years all the tug assists have been coming from the Vancouver harbour. To have a dedicated harbour towage service in the area is a very positive move, and is both a cost-effective and efficient option for all deep-sea vessels calling Squamish Terminals", says Ron Anderson, President & CEO of Squamish Terminals.

#### **About SMIT (or SMIT Marine Canada)**

SMIT has a proud tradition of over 170 years of service in the global maritime sector. The company has earned an excellent reputation by combining expertise and experience with the provision of high-quality maritime services in almost 50 locations around the world where SMIT is active. SMIT maintains the highest standards in respect of Safety, Health, the protection of the Environment and Quality. [www.smit.com](http://www.smit.com)

#### **About Squamish Terminals**

Squamish Terminals, one of Western Canada's leading break-bulk terminals for over 40 years. Located at the north end of Howe Sound - just 32 nautical miles north of the Port of Vancouver. With an intermodal transportation infrastructure (including access to rail, ocean and truck), 2 berths, 3 warehouses, large laydown yard, specialized handling equipment and an experienced team, Squamish Terminals efficiently handles cargo bound for North America and around the world. At Squamish Terminals we value and support our people, our environment and our community. [www.squamishterminals.com](http://www.squamishterminals.com)

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