



PRESS RELEASE

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SeaFrance resumes cross-Channel services

The SeaFrance Management and the officers have today, 14th March, signed an agreement which enables the company to resume sailings between Calais and Dover.

Regarding the salary claim, Management and Officers agreed on a €100 per month increase for Chief Officers, Second Engineers, and Second Officers in return for productivity gains.

Last week, following advice from the internal Health & Safety Committee, the Management agreed to amend working conditions. As a result, officers can now work 3 days in succession and live more than 2 hours away from Calais.

This agreement allows crossings to resume in the next few hours and a full service will run from tomorrow onwards.

SeaFrance apologises again to their customers for the inconvenience of recent days and are preparing to resume their service as soon as possible.