

## Sensitive cargo through rough terrain

July 17, 2017 - German Albanian Logistics Agency (Durrës) together with EMS Log (Bremen) has finished a demanding special transport from Durrës to Sheper. They brought a bottling system for sparkling water to the remote mountainous area in southern Albania. The sensitive cargo arrived without a scratch after a ride of 200 km over extremely rough terrain.

„The successful execution of this challenging project shows once again the strength of EMS-Fehn-Group,“ says Manfred Müller, CEO of EMS-Fehn-Group. „In bringing together the skills, the competence and the experience of our member companies we create for every project a tailor-made solution.“

Prior to the first transport a truck with a mounted mock-up of the largest piece (4,20x3,00x3,23m) was used for road survey. EMS Log organized the transport of the delicate equipment, all in all 81 pieces, from Germany to Albania. In Durrës GALA took over, stored the items and prepared them for the trip. It took 31 truck loads to get the complete system to Sheper and the trucks had to balance over narrow gravel roads with steep gradients, sharp turns and difficult village passages.

„Transports in this area are extremely demanding and need in-depth experience, logistic knowhow and a thorough understanding of local conditions,“ says Dominic Sleur, Managing Director of EMS Log. „We set up a team of experts from different companies in Germany and Albania, which planned and executed this project. We had to use 4x4 trucks, which often only moved only in walking pace, to make sure we get the cargo safely to its destination. We are excited that everything went well and our customer was extremely satisfied with our performance. And that is what counts in the end.“



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