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Editor's Note



Welcome to the April edition of the Cross Ocean Newsletter.

As we enter what is now another month of the Iran conflict, none of us wanted to imagine that its impact on the global economy would reach this scale — or persist this long.

What began as a response to Iran's nuclear ambitions has since introduced a second threat of comparable consequence: the repeated closure of the Strait of Hormuz. The ongoing back-and-forth between the US and Iran over access to this critical waterway has generated a level of uncertainty felt across every corner of the globe.

On a more encouraging note, we are seeing flight operations from Dubai (DBX) and Doha (DOH) recovering with greater frequency.

In-person member meetups we are hosting:

Cross Ocean & CLC Projects

Networking Lunch

Monday 15 June, 2026 – 12:00-14:00

Gastrobar Hartig – Rotterdam, NL

(Day before Breakbulk Europe)



Cross Ocean & CLC Projects

Full Day of Meetings + Lunch

Monday 21 September, 2026 – 09:00-17:00

The Houston Club – Houston, USA

(Day before Breakbulk Americas)



One Day of Meetings

LUNCH @ THE HOUSTON CLUB

21st September 2026

(Ahead of Breakbulk Americas)

09:00 - 17:00

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If your company is interested in sponsoring the beverage service at either event, please contact [Heidi](#).

Looking further ahead, we are exploring Europe as the destination for our next Global Conference in 2027. We will take the time to make the right choice and will keep you updated as plans develop.

In member news we are happy to share movements related to: Chile - Colombia, India, Finland, UAE, China - Ukraine, China - the Netherlands. We also announce a new member representing France.

Upcoming one-to-one zoom meetings between members:

29 April – Wednesday at 10.00 Sweden time (GMT +2)

06 May – Wednesday at 15.00 Sweden time (GMT +2)

Please contact [Heidi](#) to reserve your spot.

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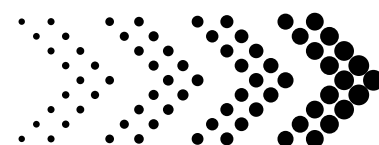
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TIBA handled the transport of a 250-tonne Manitowoc crane, made up of 29 pieces, from Puerto Angamos in Chile to a vessel anchored off the coast of Urabá, Antioquia, with final delivery in Turbo, Colombia. It was a particularly complex and highly specialised operation, planned in detail and executed with real precision.

The operation involved:

- Pick-up of the equipment from the yard in Antofagasta and transfer to an authorised depot
- Professional high-pressure cleaning
- Export customs clearance and documentation management
- Loading at Puerto Angamos using terminal and vessel cranes
- Around 15 days of sea transit
- Open-water discharge directly onto a hopper barge

Overall, this was a rare and technically demanding move, completed successfully and under close control at every stage.



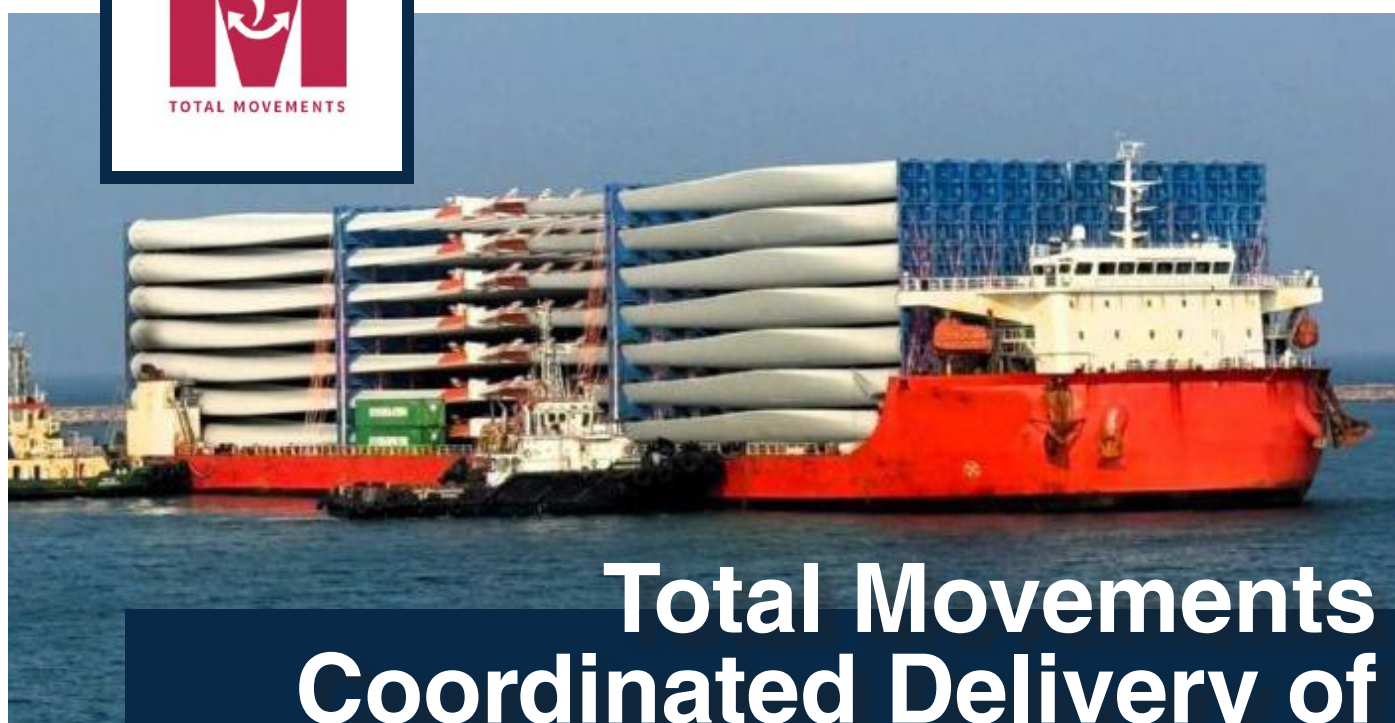
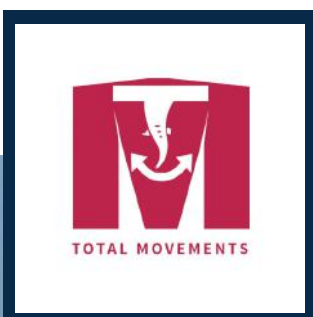
TIBA Handled the Transport of a 250-tonne Crane from Chile to Colombia

TIBA is a member of Cross Ocean representing Chile & Portugal

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Total Movements coordinated the delivery of 147 wind turbine blades to India, demonstrating the company's continued expertise in large-scale renewable energy project logistics.



Total Movements Coordinated Delivery of 147 Wind Turbine Blades to India

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Silvasti's drivers transported a heavy transformer through Lapland in extreme winter conditions, with temperatures well below 0 degrees Celsius. The skilled team on the road and operations staff coordinating behind the scenes ensured the transport was completed safely and on schedule.

The Silvasti logo, featuring a stylized red 'S' followed by the word 'ILVASTI' in black capital letters.

Silvasti Transported a Heavy Transformer Through Lapland in Extreme Winter Conditions

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MFC Extreme shipped a modular substation to its destination, navigating complex logistics challenges to ensure the cargo reached its final location safely.



MFC Extreme Shipped a Modular Substation to Its Final Destination

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FORMAG Transported Two Hybrid Gas-Insulated Switchgear Units from Shanghai to Gdansk with Onward Trucking to Ukraine

FORMAG transported two hybrid gas-insulated switchgear units from Shanghai to Gdansk in 2x40' open-top containers. Following port discharge, the cargo was trucked onward to Ukraine using specialized flatbed and lowbed trailers, required due to the cargo's 3.2-meter height making standard equipment unsuitable.

FORMAG Group is a member of Cross Ocean representing Ukraine

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OOG Plus Managed Urgent Shipment from Qingdao to Rotterdam Ahead of Chinese New Year

OOG Plus managed an urgent full logistics chain shipment from Qingdao to Rotterdam just before the Chinese New Year holiday. The team mobilized 13 trucks to move nearly 200 packages from Taiyuan to their Qingdao warehouse within four days. After a detailed cargo inspection revealed partial dismantling of some units, OOG Plus successfully secured additional container space from the carrier to accommodate the revised loading plan.

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New Member Representing France

ARMARA Projects

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