

**EVERY SINGLE CARGO
IS PRECIOUS TO US**



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Abnormal Loads

Best routes and competitive rates.

Independent transport sourcing enables us to be reliable, flexible and cost effective.

Experience combined with an understanding of the local conditions is the key to trouble free abnormal load movements.

At ALS we have focused on developing high levels of expertise in every aspect of the transport chain. This commitment to understanding allows us to provide a professional handling facility to an extensive list of worldwide clients.



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Abnormal Loads

As with most things, experience is the key to a trouble free abnormal or heavy load movement. For over 30 years Abnormal Load Services (International) has provided a professional heavy-haulage and abnormal load handling facility to a long list of international clients. Our hard won reputation is based on a simple but effective code of six disciplines:

- Make our experience count
- Always apply a positive attitude
- Be committed to getting it right every time
- Show dedication to solving any problems at all times Use
- our ability to get it done, on time and within budget Always
- learn from problems we encounter

The complete abnormal load service...

The original Abnormal Load Services (International) Limited vision of offering a “One Stop Shop” is still our goal.

The team at ALS operate a total quality control system that ensures your load is properly routed, correctly escorted and professionally supervised throughout its journey.

- A Professional Special Projects Service
- Pan European Coverage
- A Complete Documentation Management Service

Controlled by one of the industry’s most highly developed IT systems we can provide up to the minute information on the movement of our clients’ loads throughout the world.

ALS customers have come to expect a flexible, effective service that starts with a speedy and positive response.

- One piece of a three part load being lifted from the road transportation into the aircraft.

The complete one-stop solution...

- Worldwide Chartering Service Worldwide
- Load Tracking Service
- Customer Information and Support Service

There are no off-the-peg solutions when it comes to abnormal loads. Every project has its own unique set of requirements. Experience and attention to detail not only ensure a smoother journey, but in every case provides the most secure and cost-effective abnormal load movement.

With over 25 years of experience in meeting the demands of civil and heavy engineering project managers worldwide we are able to provide no nonsense help and advice on the following factors.

Length (no matter how long we can always find a way, subject to legislation)

Width (we can develop an appropriate route or arrange for any street furniture to be moved, subject to permission)

Height (we can provide a suitable solution or advise you on alternative movement methods)

Weight (we can move anything no matter what the weight, subject to route)

Shape (we can handle your load regardless of its shape, or can arrange packing to secure it)

Location (wherever your destination, ALS will get it there successfully)

Volumes (whether you have 1 or 1000 units, ALS can develop a solution to suit all your needs)

The complete worldwide service...

- International expertise and languages
- Provision of bonded storage facilities
- Total Project Management Services

To move your load ALS can call on any specialist vehicle, shipping line, barge or aircraft, across the world. Not being reliant on a single transport fleet ensures that we are able to use our buying power to greatest effect.

Equally, we do not have to rely on buying in specialist services, as ALS have in house teams with extensive experience:-

Ship chartering (Deep sea, short sea, liner, coaster, pontoon)

Barge chartering (experience and access to Europe’s river and canal networks)

Air freight (providing rapid movements via the air networks around the world)

Intermodal (offering a wide range of transportation solutions)

Packing Services (serving your packing and security needs)

Crane hire (Forklift, mobile cranes, tower cranes and all terrain cranes)

Specialist installation services (mega lifts, ancillary equipment)

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Project Management

Turnkey and large-scale project logistics management for the mining, energy, construction, engineering, marine and offshore industries.

Road, rail, air, sea and inland waterway transportation resources.

Specialists in factory and production relocation.

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Project Management

Whatever the size and scale of your project, ALS consultants can advise and help you to develop the ideal solution. By becoming involved in the preliminary stages through to implementation and post-delivery support, ALS offers each customer an individually tailored service, which will provide added value solutions to your project.

Our customers rely on our expertise and specialists project management skills to deliver a solution that is reliable, safe, environmentally aware, within budget, and on schedule

Achieving continuous improvement of our quality management system which is based upon the requirements of ISO 9001:2000.

1. Turnkey project management.

2. Job site transport management.

3. Planning, supervision and representation services for FOB projects/shipments.

4. Crane planning, hire, and management.

5. Pre-project logistics planning, survey reports and feasibility studies.

6. Specialist project/ heavy lift port agency services to ship owners/operators and charterers.

7. Installation and erection, and decommissioning services.

8. Police/private escorting arrangements and route management.

9. Ship barge and aircraft chartering and overland transportation

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**“Getting your
load there safely,
easily and cost
effectively... first
time every time”**

Special Project Management

When a complicated abnormal movement project is undertaken by ALS, our special projects team uses a simple but effective check list to ensure nothing is missed.

1. Initial contact with ALS to discuss requirements, including budgets, time-scale or special considerations.
2. We will conduct a preliminary site visit and route survey. A project manager will assess the overall project and advise on planning.
3. We will consider alternative vehicle/movement types and identify possible routes thereby assessing any possible hazards or difficulties from road, rail, water or air.
4. Assess specialist ancillary equipment needs such as cranes, labour, special constructions or demolitions.
5. Prepare cost schedule for clients to gain budget approval.
6. Create an effective and achievable plan to organise and book all equipment needed.
7. Liaise with external authorities, who need to be informed of any movements e.g. arranging for any street furniture removal or route authorisations.
8. Liaise with police forces and local authorities along the routes, arranging all documentation and authorisations, including police escorts and attendants.
9. Arrange insurance and all official correspondence.
10. Maintain a database of each project, which can be used to the mutual benefit of the customer and ALS on future projects.
11. Collect and deliver the loads under full ALS supervision, keeping you informed of progress throughout.
12. Provide clients with a total debrief and report.



High & Heavy Construction Equipment Logistics

European market leader offering a worldwide road, rail, air and sea service.

We also provide a complete logistics support service to manufacturers, distributors and their clients including port distribution and integrated supply chain solutions.

ALS can offer you a complete range of logistics services:-

**IT Systems
Inventory Management
Warehousing and Operations Management**

We help to provide you with a competitive edge by moving faster and responding to your own and your customers' needs.

Throughout our European network of companies we operate a team that is dedicated solely to solving logistical problems for construction and plant equipment, manufacturers, distributors and operators.

Complimenting WWL Ocean services; ALS offer through carriage to the High & Heavy sectors of the business throughout Europe, Middle East and Africa.



ALS offers clients a complete range of freight management services tailored to their individual needs.

These include:

In-house Operational Teams

- » PDI of Machines
- » Specification Checks & Modifications
- » Physical Condition Checks
- » Preparation of Despatch Paperwork & Export Documentation

Full Operational Support

Locations throughout Europe dealing with:

- » Deep Sea & Short Sea shipments
- » Arranging UK, European & Worldwide
- » Transport Express Cargo shipments

IT System & Data Interchange & Inventory Management

You can rely on ALS to develop a customised solution unique to your company's requirements and challenges, whether it is a regular or one-off movement. ALS will manage the entire logistics programme from planning and concept to daily operations, employing experienced personnel who understand the industry.



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Superyacht Handling

Superyacht Nordic

Services include:

- Agency services
- Provisions & purchases
- Bunker & lube oil supply
- Itineraries
- Yacht transportation
- References

Since 2009 services have been provided for Superyachts in Nordic waters from our offices in Bergen, situated on the west coast of Norway.

To meet this demanding market, Superyacht Nordic joined forces with WWL ALS to become WWL ALS Nordic AS, a part of the Wallenius Wilhelmsen Group.

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Specialist Services

Over the years, ALS has gained an enormous amount of experience in all the specialist services that are required to move large and heavy loads.

Permit Control, Route Planning, Police Escorts, the use of pilot cars, attendants and statutory movement orders are all areas of ALS expertise.

If you have a problem, call the real experts at ALS.

Movement Permits

With the UK classification of "Abnormal" changing to meet the demands of the industry, keeping up with legislation and the requirements of local police forces, you need the services of a specialist who understands the difficulties.

Our team at ALS will advise you on all aspects of the necessary legal and statutory notification process then go on to manage the process for you.

Route Planning

Route planning is critical to the success of all abnormal load movements, it is the most visible and often most dangerous point of the operation. If not planned correctly it can lead to major losses or legal action. Depending upon the load itself and the preferred route, it may be necessary to inform local police forces, authorities, county councils and many other interested parties such as Rail track or British Waterways.

We can conduct all liaison for your load and action any advice or demands these authorities may require. ALS will plan the route and make arrangements with all relevant authorities, to ensure a speedy and effective movement.

Police Escorts

Every police force in the United Kingdom will have a different policy towards the necessity for a proper police escort. Such escorts will require at least two days notification prior to the date of movement, which does not include weekends or bank holidays. ALS will liaise between the different police authorities and arrange a schedule of police escorts, designed to complement your loads.

Pilot Cars/Second Drivers

The nature of your load may necessitate the use of pilot cars in support of police escorts, or equally the need for second drivers to undertake any manoeuvres en-route. Again each authority may insist upon a different level of movement support. ALS can provide you with a full support service that fulfills all current movement legislation.

Statutory Movement Orders Loads exceeding 5.00 metres in width will require a VR1 movement order issued by the Highways Agency (formerly the Department of Transport in London). Loads with larger dimensions may require a special movement order and official approval.

ALS can advise on all documentation for both the United Kingdom and Continental Europe and provide the entire liaison, support and supervision necessary. Should the removal of street furniture or obstructions be needed, we can also look after that.

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