

**Press Release  
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## **First Saltie to Windsor Port in 2017**

CAPTAIN MAXIM KOROLKOV and crew of the first ocean going vessel of the season were welcomed at the ADM Windsor Grain Terminal on April 10 by officials of the terminal and Windsor Port Authority. The M/V HEMGRACHT docked at ADM on April 7 and is expected to leave on April 12 with a load of feed products destined for Dublin, Ireland.



“It is always a celebration when the first ocean going vessel, or Saltie, arrives at the Port as it marks the beginning of the international shipping season here in Windsor”, said David Cree, President of the Windsor Port Authority. “ADM is a major international grain merchant and we are very fortunate to have them in the Port of Windsor



“The St. Lawrence Seaway System allows ADM to connect local farmers by truck and rail to customers around the world, and we are proud to be a part of the Port of Windsor community and this year’s first Saltie celebration,” said Steven Combres, Merchandiser with ADM.



Christine Paré, Controller of the Windsor Port Authority, along with representatives of the local Mission to Seafarers were also present at the ceremony and presented the Captain with a local book on Windsor “From the Vault” and the crew with care bags containing various personal items, including a phone card to allow them to call loved ones around the world.

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