Eagle Bulk Shipco LLC Dividend

Eagle Bulk Shipco LLC (OSLO BØRS: EBS01 (Bonds)) has on 30 April 2019 paid a dividend of \$5.5 million, equivalent to 50% of the \$11.0 million in net income for the full year 2018, to the Parent, Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc.

This information is subject of the disclosure requirements pursuant to section 5-12 of the Norwegian Securities Trading Act.

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About Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc.

Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. is a Marshall Islands corporation headquartered in Stamford, Connecticut. Eagle Bulk owns one of the largest fleets of Supramax/Ultramax dry bulk vessels in the world. Supramax/Ultramax vessels, which are constructed with on-board cranes, range in size from approximately 50,000 to 65,000 dwt. The Company transports a broad range of major and minor bulk cargoes, including but not limited to coal, grain, ore, pet coke, cement and fertilizer, along worldwide shipping routes.

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