

Rusta strengthens value chain cost efficiency with bonded warehouse

Rusta takes the next significant step in its efforts to increase efficiency across the value chain by establishing a bonded warehouse at the company's central fulfilment centre in Norrköping, Sweden. Today, June 5, the first shipment arrives for bonded storage. The bonded warehouse permit, granted by Swedish Customs in April, allows goods to be stored without the immediate payment of import duties. Duties are instead paid when goods are withdrawn from bonded storage and an import declaration is submitted. The bonded warehouse is expected to generate annual cost savings of approximately SEK 30 million starting in the 2026/2027 financial year and is a key component in Rusta's long-term strategy to increase cost efficiency across the value chain.

Implementation of the bonded warehouse begins today, on June 5, with the arrival of the first shipment for bonded storage. The arrangement is expected to generate cost savings of approximately SEK 7 million in the current financial year, increasing to around SEK 30 million annually from 2026/2027 onwards. The bonded warehouse also supports Rusta's efforts to improve value chain efficiency and achieve its long-term financial targets.

"The arrival of the first shipment for bonded storage at our central fulfilment centre in Norrköping marks an important milestone in our long-term efforts to increase efficiency across the value chain and manage growing shipment volumes in a cost-efficient way. As one of the largest and most technically advanced fulfilment centres in the Nordics, the Norrköping facility serves as the hub of our industrially efficient model. We are now further strengthening this setup to support future growth," says Anna Bergstedt, Chief Supply Chain Officer at Rusta.

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