A. Duie Pyle Maintains Top Ranking in the Northeast, Voted #1 LTL Carrier for Third Consecutive Year by Logistics Management Magazine readers

WEST CHESTER, PA, August 13, 2009 – For the third year running, A. Duie Pyle has earned the #1 position in Logistics Management magazine’s 26th Annual Quest for Quality Awards in the tenacious Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Regional LTL (less than-truckload) category. The company has been included on the magazine’s list of the top five finishers since 1989. In addition, the weighted ranking system that established A. Duie Pyle as the #1 carrier in the Northeast also placed the company’s equipment and operations top among all regional LTL carriers in the country.

“Our ability to grow and reinvest in our Northeast footprint compliments the level of service that we provide to our customers. This year, as we’re celebrating 85 years of doing business in the Northeast, our financial staying power ensures that service is never compromised,” said Steve O’Kane, President of A. Duie Pyle, the leading Northeast transportation and logistics provider. “We’ve opened new service centers and warehouses, have purchased seven additional facilities throughout the Northeast and continued our award-winning focus on safety. Pyle People are dedicated to our company’s success – and that is what earned this prestigious award.”

The Quest for Quality Awards are voted on by readers of Logistics Management magazine and are regarded as one of the most important measures of customer satisfaction and performance excellence. The results, according to the magazine, align with what many analysts believe to be true – that the top regional carriers like A. Duie Pyle are perfectly positioned to catch the next wave of business predicted for 2010. Recipients have received the “ultimate vote of confidence,” with winners posting the highest scores in the various criteria. The five criteria are on-time performance, value, information technology, customer service, and equipment and operations. The Quest for Quality Awards use a weighted metric and takes into
account the value that each reader gives each attribute. According to the magazine, for instance, readers have historically placed the highest single value on on-time performance. That attribute is followed by value, customer service, equipment operations, and then information technology. 2009 marks the sixth year in a row that A. Duie Pyle has put up points that beat the overall average.

About A. Duie Pyle

Headquartered in West Chester, PA, A. Duie Pyle is the Northeast’s premier transportation and logistics provider, with extended LTL service coverage into the Southeast, Midwest, and Canada. “Pyle People Deliver” is its corporate promise to customers that outstanding service will always be its first and foremost mission. A family-owned and operated business for more than 85 years, the company provides a complete range of transportation and distribution services. A. Duie Pyle LTL Services operates 17 Service Centers, strategically located throughout the region, with direct service to the Caribbean. A. Duie Pyle Transport Services Group provides specialized truckload services to meet the short-haul needs in the Northeast. A. Duie Pyle Warehousing and Distribution operates with more than two million square feet of public and contract warehousing space and is fully integrated with the company’s LTL and TL service offerings for seamless distribution. For information about A. Duie Pyle capabilities, visit www.aduiepyle.com or call 800-523-5020.

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