



# Shipping Service Weekly Bulletin – 5 June 2006

WFP Shipping Service, part of the WFP global organization, is a special operation that was set up in early October to provide sea transport for the humanitarian and recovery community in Aceh and Nias. The service is currently operating at no cost to users. We remain committed to providing you with “Service second to none!”

### Cargo Lifted from Jakarta

The L/C Niaga Jaya XII loaded the first cargo of approximately 600 MT of construction materials out of Jakarta last week. The Shipping Service can pick up cargo from Jakarta by utilizing the vessels that will be carrying timber from Kalimantan on a bi-weekly basis. Shipments should comprise a minimum of 300 MT out of Jakarta, as less than this amount would not be cost effective.

### Meulaboh Port Jetty

Improvements to the Jetty of Meulaboh’s old port have been completed, including the demolition of the pier wall, cleaning of the post basin and casting the ramp areas with a concrete layer. The WFPSS built LCT ramp was completed with the volunteer supervision help of THW. The first Landing Craft is estimated to arrive this week.

### Belawan Warehouse

Negotiations are still underway for the warehouse space in Belawan. Once finalized, the warehouse will be available to users as a transit storage area for cargo to be lifted out of Belwan port.

### Sirombu Landing Site Assessment

The WFPSS Port Captain based in Nias undertook a mission to Sirombu to assess potential landing sites along the beach.



*L/C Pacific Spirit fully loaded 31 May 06*

The pier along the old port remains accessible however only when seas are calm.

The only viable solution for consideration therefore would be to partially run aground a barge on the beach in front of the CARITAS compound, creating an artificial pier. The Shipping Service has not yet been able to locate a barge to add to its fleet however efforts to locate one are ongoing.

### IOKIO Omniscope

WFPSS introduces an innovative way to retrieve information about your shipments including what’s in the pipeline, voyage data and vessel positions.

You can view snapshots of all relevant information by downloading IOKIO Omniscope. You will find all necessary information and links on our website [www.wfpss.org](http://www.wfpss.org).

### FAQs

Questions about the Shipping Service? Visit our FAQs section of the website to find out all you need to know about the services we provide.

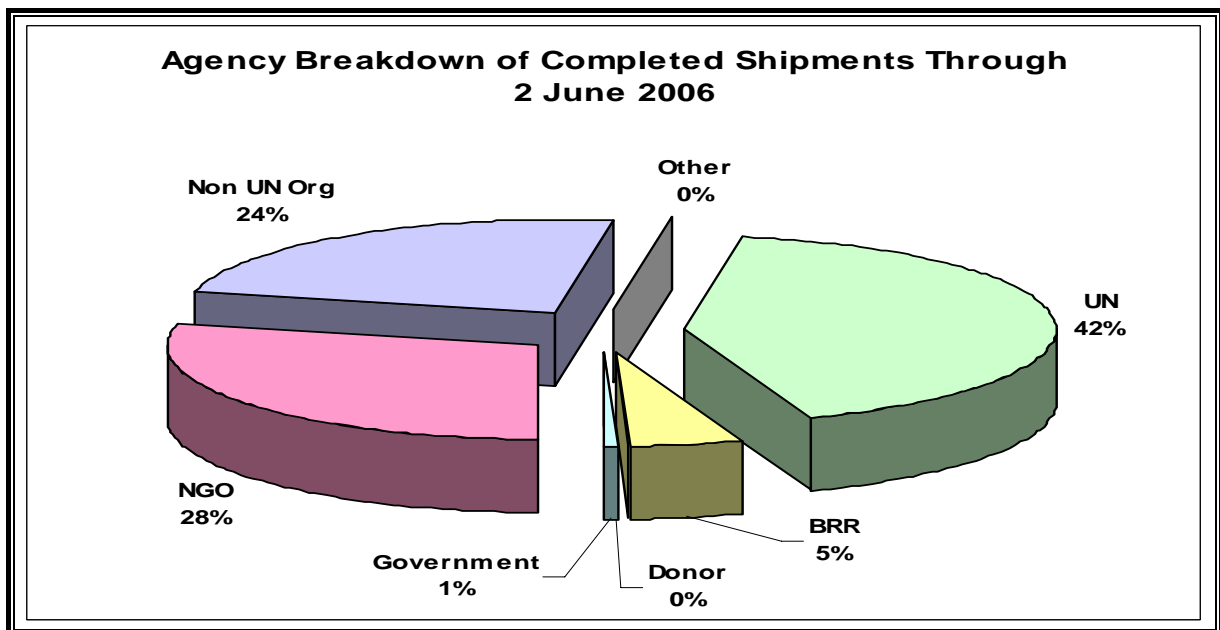
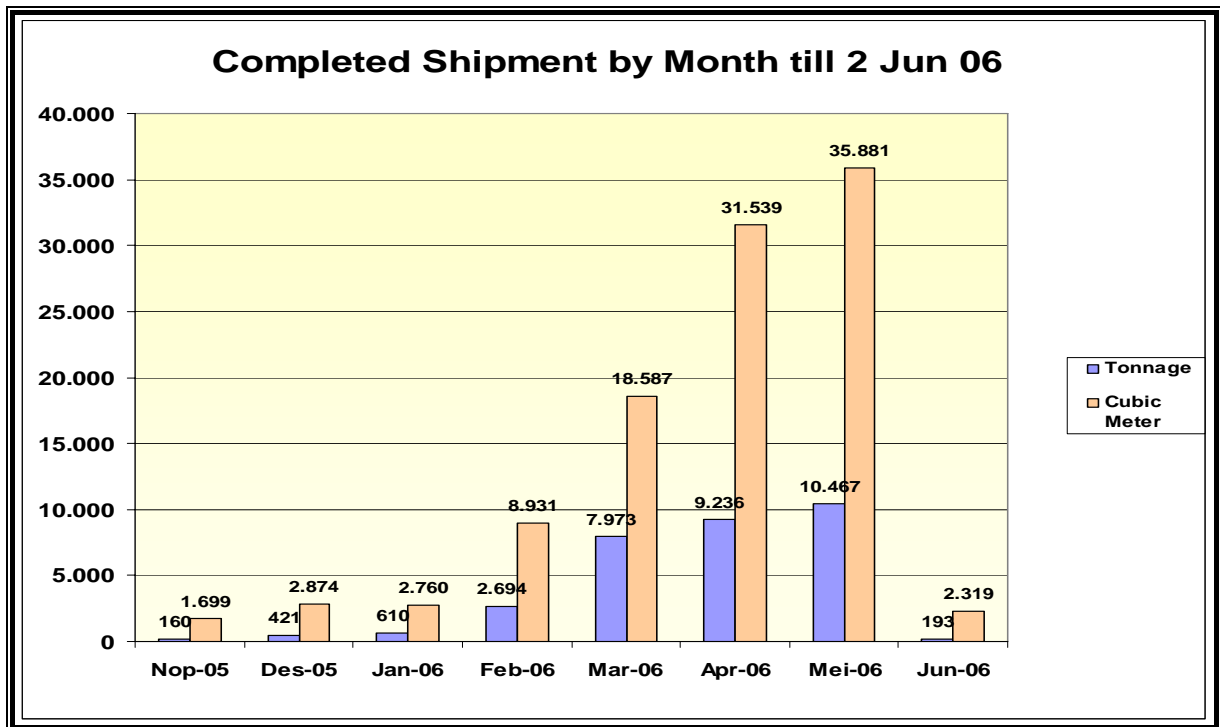
### Pipeline Update

#### *Weekly Running Total of Cargo Shipped Since WFPSS Project Start*

	MTs	Meters <sup>3</sup>
Last week	28,431	92,525
Current Total	31,562	102,271
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>3,131</b>	<b>9,746</b>

WFPSS currently has 3,584mts / 35,373m<sup>3</sup> confirmed in the pipeline for upcoming movement.





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