

PRESS RELEASE

Nelt Group, Baby Food Factory and Neoplanta Present Sustainability Reports

Ascending Towards a Sustainable Future: Intermodal Transport and Green Energy in Focus

Belgrade, June 11, 2026 – Nelt Group, together with its member companies Baby Food Factory and Neoplanta, today presented their Sustainability Reports for 2024/25. The event brought together representatives of government institutions, the business community, international and non-governmental organizations, business associations, partners, and the media.

The reports reaffirm the companies' commitment to integrating sustainability principles into their business strategies and daily operations. Through enhancing the sustainability of supply chains, investing in energy efficiency and renewable energy sources, promoting responsible food production, continuously improving product quality and safety, supporting employee development, and contributing to local communities, the companies continue to create long-term value for their customers, consumers, partners, and society as a whole.

Investments for Long-Term Competitiveness

“The greatest challenge today is not growth itself, but ensuring that growth is sustainable. Sustainability is an integral part of all our business decisions and investments. Through our Ascend 2030 strategy and ongoing investments, we are building a more efficient and competitive system capable of meeting increasingly complex market demands. By embracing intermodal transport and green energy, we are transforming the way goods move across Europe,” said **Vuk Mijanović, Executive Director for Logistics Excellence and Development at Nelt Group.**

Nada Stamatović, Sustainability Expert at Nelt Group, emphasized that sustainability is not a standalone initiative but a principle that guides business operations, investment decisions, and the development of all companies within the Group.

“Regardless of the industries and markets in which we operate, our common goal is to create long-term value for employees, customers, consumers, partners, and communities. The reports we are presenting today confirm that sustainability significantly strengthens business resilience, drives innovation, and enhances long-term competitiveness,” said Stamatović.

Sustainable Logistics, Community Investment, and Youth Development

Nelt Group continued investing in renewable energy through the expansion of solar capacities, the implementation of heat pump and geothermal energy solutions, while further improving transport operations and developing intermodal transport. Over the past two years, Nelt transported more than **115,000 TEU** by rail between key European ports, avoiding the emission of more than **36,000 tonnes of CO₂**.

On the social front, in 2024 the company launched a three-year partnership with UNICEF worth USD 1.3 million, aimed at improving education and developing digital and green skills among children and young people in Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, North Macedonia, and Angola.

Intermodality as the New Reality

As part of the event, a panel discussion titled **“Intermodality in Practice: Partnerships for More Efficient, Resilient and Greener Supply Chains”** was held.

The discussion featured **Đorđije Marković**, Sales Director for the East Adriatic Region at Maersk; **Tamara Tošić**, Regional Director for Food and Agribusiness for Southeast Europe at the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD); **Nedim Begović**, Coordinator for Green, Multimodal and Innovative Transport Solutions at Transport Community; and **Radman Šelmić**, Advisor to the President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia for Green and Circular Economy. The panel was moderated by **Ivan Milićević**, Operations and Development Manager for Intermodal Transport at Nelt Group.



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The discussion focused on the development of intermodal transport, the green and digital transition, and the cooperation between businesses, institutions, and the financial sector in building more sustainable regional supply chains. Participants concluded that intermodality represents one of the key drivers of a more competitive and resilient economy.

The ESG Reports of [Nelt Grupe](#), [Baby Food Factory](#) and [Neoplanta](#) for 2024/25 were prepared in accordance with the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Standards. Nelt Group has been reporting in line with these standards since 2014, while Baby Food Factory and Neoplanta adopted this practice two years ago.