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# Prior Environmental License for shipyard facilities construction in the State of Rio Grande do Sul

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## PRESS RELEASE

Wilson Sons Limited (“Wilson, Sons”) (Bovespa: WSON11) announces that it has been granted the Prior Environmental License (LP) from FEPAM (Fundação Estadual de Proteção Ambiental - RS) in relation to the construction of the Company’s shipyard facilities in the city of Rio Grande (State of Rio Grande do Sul). The Company continues to pursue all the necessary environmental programs to obtain the License for Installation (LI) to initiate site construction.

The shipyard of the Company in Rio Grande will serve to build vessels to support offshore platforms along with harbor and ocean tugboats. The Rio Grande Shipyard combined with the expanding Guarujá Shipyard will facilitate the Company’s strategy of building vessels to meet the demand driven by growth in the oil and gas industry and international trade flow.

## About Wilson Sons

Wilson, Sons, through its subsidiaries, is one of Brazil’s largest providers of integrated port and maritime logistics and supply chain solutions. With a business track record of over 170 years, the Company has developed an extensive national network and provides a comprehensive set of services related to domestic and international trade, as well as to the oil and gas industry. Its principal operating activities are divided into the following lines of business: Port Terminals, Towage, Logistics, Shipping Agency, Offshore, and Shipyards. For more information, please visit our website [www.wilsonsons.com.br/ri](http://www.wilsonsons.com.br/ri)

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