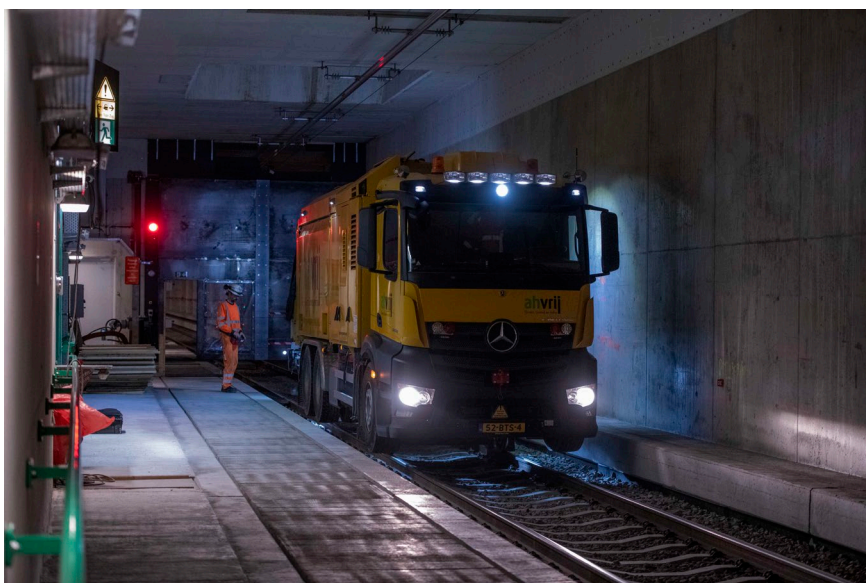




Daimler Truck AG

Spotlight
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Comme un énorme aspirateur – Un Mercedes-Benz Actros “rail/route” nettoie les voies en Belgique et aux Pays-Bas



Mercedes-Benz Actros 3351L, 6x4, cleans track beds

Wateringen (Pays-Bas) - AH Vrij, une entreprise spécialisée dans l'aménagement paysager, l'excavation et l'infrastructure située à Wateringen, aux Pays-Bas, a commandé un Mercedes-Benz Actros doté d'une caisse d'excavation et d'un système « rail/route » pour l'entretien des lignes de chemin de fer aux Pays-Bas et en Belgique. L'entreprise familiale fondée il y a 65 ans et dirigée aujourd'hui par la troisième génération, a choisi cet Actros jaune pour sa dernière acquisition. Ce coloris est exigé pour la certification : le camion à l'étoile à trois branches est un véhicule à trois essieux équipé d'un aspirateur double de taille « XXL ». Rick Vrij, dont le grand-père a fondé l'entreprise, explique : "Il s'agit en fait d'un camion surmonté d'un grand aspirateur. Cet aspirateur sera utilisé aux Pays-Bas et en Belgique. Depuis sa livraison, le véhicule ne s'est jamais arrêté. L'Actros équipé de l'"aspirateur" nettoie déjà le tunnel de Schiphol (l'aéroport d'Amsterdam), ce qu'il fera quatre fois par an, en enlevant la poussière, le sable, les boîtes de conserve et le papier. Il faut 27 nuits à l'entreprise pour accomplir cette tâche. AH Vrij "aspire" également un tunnel ferroviaire de sept kilomètres de long en Belgique : le contrat court sur douze week-ends chaque année.

Avec le soutien du distributeur néerlandais Mercedes-Benz Truck Bedrijven, Rick Vrij a décidé d'élargir sa flotte avec ce camion à trois essieux et a commandé un Mercedes-Benz Actros 3351L, 6x4, en raison de ses dimensions compactes et de son poids total en charge de 33 tonnes.

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