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Fikes Truck Line Hires Andy Jones as Manager of Specialized Operations

Hope, Arkansas... Fikes Truck Line announces the hire of Andy Jones as Manager of Specialized Operations. Fikes Truck Line is one of the nation's premier flatbed carriers headquartered in Hope, Arkansas with terminals in Kentucky, Texas and Alabama.

Jones made the move to Fikes after an 11-year career with Dallas-Mavis. At Dallas-Mavis he worked as a Rate Clerk and Flatbed Dispatcher, before being promoted to Manager in the company's Heavy Haul division where he worked with a fleet of over 250 specialized owner-operators. In his new role at Fikes, Jones will focus on building and expanding lanes of business in Heavy Haul, RGN and Side-decks, as well as, contributing to the recruitment and retention of specialized drivers in these areas.

"I am thrilled to be apart of the Fikes team," says Jones, "Building a Specialized Trucking Division from the ground up is quite an opportunity. We are developing a clear strategic plan to oversee the development of this business area so we can create a profitable operation for Fikes Truck Line."

According to Jones, Fikes' interest in specialized trucking is to compliment existing services, attract qualified owner-operators and small fleets and develop relationships with other Heavy Haul companies looking to partner with a professional flatbed fleet.

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Fikes' Director of Operations, Jim Honea says, "We are excited to have Jones on board in this position. Heavy haul has a positive outlook in the global transportation economy and building our capacity in this specialty is a logical next step for our company's continued growth."

For more information on Fikes' Specialized Trucking Division, please contact Andy Jones at andy@fikes.com or call 1-800-643-6611. Fikes Truck Line is a premier national trucking company that specializes in flatbed, RGN, drop-deck, and side-deck trailers. For more information on Fikes Truck Line, visit their website at www.fikes.com or call 1-800-643-6611.

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