



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL CUSTOMERS

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USA Port Congestion Surcharge

Dear Clients

Due to contract renegotiations in the USA Ocean Carriage Industry, there is the potential that Unions will call for strikes and/or slowdowns throughout these negotiations.

If this occurs, major congestion and delays will be experienced on the wharves and on the water.

As a result, Shipping Lines have filed a Port Congestion Charge for all traffic in to, and out of, ports in the USA to cover the significant costs that such delays would cause for them.

This Port Congestion Charge will only be imposed **if** any strikes or slowdowns occur. If there is no labour disruption then the Port Congestion Charge will not be implemented.

The approximate cost of the surcharge, should it go ahead, is:

20' Standard USD 800
40' Standard USD 1000
40' High Cube USD 1100

We will continue to monitor the situation in the USA and provide updates, should the situation become critical.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your account representative.

Yours faithfully,
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