



Auckland Congestion Charge

6th November, 2020

Dear Customer,

We wish to advise congestion at Ports of Auckland continues to cause significant disruption to our vessel schedules.

Over the past weeks we have done our utmost to deliver your cargo to/from Auckland while managing the current situation as best possible. We are experiencing significant vessel delays with current waiting times up to 12 days, resulting in vessel omissions and contingencies significantly impacting our overall operational costs.

To enable us to continue to connect your supply chain to and from Auckland, we wish to advise our customers we will be implementing a **Port Congestion Surcharge** of **USD 215 per TEU** (both dry and reefer containers) for all containers arriving/departing to/from Ports of Auckland. The Auckland Congestion Charge will be applied as follows:

Auckland* to/from World (excluding USA trades)

- Export cargo for all vessels departing Auckland on or after 13th November 2020
- Import cargo for all vessels departing from origin on or after 13th November 2020

Auckland* to/from USA

- Export cargo received in Auckland on or after 6th December 2020
- Import cargo received at origin on or after 6th December 2020

* The Auckland congestion surcharge will be applied for all cargo loaded/discharged at Ports of Auckland. The Auckland congestion surcharge will not be applied for cargo with receipt/delivery at **Auckland Metroport**.

The Auckland Congestion fee will be applied with following freight terms unless otherwise stipulated on the Shipping Instruction:

- Imports to Auckland : freight collect. Exports from Auckland : freight pre-paid.

Should you wish to take delivery of your import cargo at an alternative location please contact a local Customer Service Representative.

Please contact your nearest Hamburg Sud office with any additional questions.

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