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Import Seafreight

DATE: 24th June 2010
To: Our Valued Europe Import Customers
SUBJECT: **Europe Import Seafreight Increases from 1st July 2010**

Dear Valued Client,

Shipping Lines have recently confirmed Ocean Freight increases from 1/07/2010 due to continued space shortage ex North Europe and the Mediterranean.

The lines have announced increases at various levels depending on line and origin port as indicated below:

20 Foot Container

USD150.00 – USD200.00

EUR150.00 – EUR200.00

40 Foot Container

USD300.00 – USD400.00

EUR300.00 – EUR400.00

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Please find the resulting LCL rate increases below which will be applied to your current rate from the 1st of July 2010.

Ex Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland, UK, Belgium, France, Denmark and Austria

EUR4.00 per W/M applies

Ex Italy, Spain, Portugal and Scandinavia

USD4.00 per W/M applies

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind you that European summer holidays are coming up end of July. Many factories close down during this period putting a lot of pressure on shipping space in the weeks leading up. Please let us know well in advance of pending orders so that we can ensure they are shipped before suppliers close for holidays.

If you have any queries or would like further clarification from specific areas, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Kind Regards

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