



Customer Information

6th March 2020

Panama Canal Surcharge Implementation

Services from Europe transiting through the canal

Dear customer,

In order to protect water environment, the Panama Canal Authority has announced new fees to protect the water environment and maintain services and reliability on the vessels transiting through the Canal. As a result, effective 1st April 2020 Hamburg Süd will introduce a Panama Canal Surcharge (PCC) for all cargo transiting through the Canal.

The tariff levels and exact scope are as follows:

USD 30 USD / EUR 27 per container (both DRY and REEFER)

From Europe to: Chile, Peru, Ecuador, Colombia (only COBUN), Costa Rica (only CRCAL), Nicaragua, Guatemala (only GTTGZ) and Mexico (only MXLZO and MXLZC)

In addition to PCC, further price elements may apply:

- Base Rate, please click here
- Security related charges and surcharges respectively applicable at the Port of Origin and the Port of Destination -, please click here
- Terminal Handling Charges respectively applicable at the Port of Origin and the Port of Destination -, please click here
- Additional charges and surcharges reflecting foreseeable high demand (such as Peak Season Surcharges), please click here
- all other applicable surcharges, such as local charges and contingency charges, valid at the time of shipment

Above rates are applicable for all cargo on board vessels with ETD 1st April 2020 onwards (based on Pro forma date of departure) and until further notice.

We want to thank you for your business and look forward to continuously serving your transportation needs. If you require more information, please contact your local sales manager or any of our customer service advisors.

With kind regards,

Hamburg Süd

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