



## Canada – Montreal – Port of Montreal Strike – Resumption of Operations

Dear ,

Return to work legislation, which was put forward by the Federal government on April 27th, successfully passed through the House of Commons on April 28th. Bill C-29 must now be approved by the Senate, which is expected to take place today, April 30th. On the basis that the necessary approval takes place, the best-case scenario is that labor could return to the Port of Montreal as early as Saturday, May 1st.

Hapag-Lloyd is now proceeding with immediate measures to ensure expedited operations on the following vessels due to arrive in Montreal this weekend:

Service	Vessel / Voyage	ETA Montreal	Start Operations (TBC)
AT1	Ottawa Express Voy 22W14	02-May 0600HRS	03-May 0700HRS
AT2	Montreal Express Voy 28W15	01-May 2300HRS	03-May 0700HRS
MCA	Genoa Express Voy 48W14	02-May 0700HRS	03-May 0700HRS

As we work closely with our terminal partners, we are aware of the importance to return to a fluid, efficient operation through the Port of Montreal. We must therefore implement the following measures to minimize the impact to our valued customers:

- Due to severe congestion at all terminals, diversion requests for import containers that are already on ground at the Port of Montreal from previous vessels will not be accepted.
- In an effort to expedite import reefer containers to Toronto from the three vessels mentioned above, mode of transport will be amended to truck instead of rail. An additional charge of \$200USD will apply for each container.

- Export acceptance for the three vessels mentioned above at all inland rail ramps is now closed and outstanding shipments will be rolled to the next available vessel.
- Export truck cut offs for the three vessels mentioned above have been updated as follows:

Service	Vessel / Voyage	Montreal Truck Cut-Off
AT1	Ottawa Express Voy 22E16	03-May 1500HRS
AT2	Montreal Express Voy 28E17	04-May 1500HRS
MCA	Genoa Express Voy 49E17	05-May 1500HRS

Hapag-Lloyd continues to work closely with our partners to minimize the impact of the most recent work stoppage and further updates will be provided.

Please refer to our [local website](#) for regular updates.

**If you have any questions or comments, please contact your local [Hapag-Lloyd office](#).**

**Best regards,**



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