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**NOTIFICATION TO INDUSTRY
INTRODUCTION OF WEIGHT MIS-DECLARATION FEE FOR EXPORT CARGO (PONDUS) AT DP
WORLD AUSTRALIA (DPWA) MELBOURNE**

In accordance with an ongoing commitment to health and safety, DPW World Australia will be introducing a calibrated weighing device (PONDUS) at its Melbourne terminal. The introduction of this device will ensure accurate container weight information is recorded prior to loading a vessel and will assist in maintaining a safe and efficient operation. It is the shipper's responsibility to ensure that the correct weight of the container is documented prior to it being loaded on a vessel.

Export containers will be statistically sampled and weighted on the PONDUS stand. A fee will be applied on units having an absolute weight variance greater than one metric tonne compared to its declared weight. This fee will be charged to the shipping line with access to a certified weighing certificate confirming the weight discrepancy.

Containers that record an absolute weight variance of less than one metric tonne, will not incur the fee.

DPWA Melbourne customers are advised that a "Weight Mis-Declaration Fee for Export Cargo (PONDUS)" will be implemented on 3rd July 2023.

Fee Type	Chargeable Unit	Fee
Weight Mis-Declaration Fee - Export	Per Export Unit	\$205

The introduction of this fee is to mitigate the safety hazards associated with mis-declared containers throughout the supply chain network.

All fees are EXCLUSIVE of Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Yours Sincerely,

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