

October 28, 2011

To Whom It May Concern:

**RE: NOTICE OF FEE AMENDMENTS**

In accordance with Section 51 of the *Canada Marine Act*, the Vancouver Fraser Port Authority (VFPA) Board of Directors has approved the following fee amendments that will take effect on January 1, 2012:

**1. Wharfage**

- a. Containers: Set rates as follows:
  - i. For the former Vancouver Port Authority jurisdiction (VPA): Import laden: \$36.55 per twenty foot equivalent unit (TEU), export laden: \$26.06 per TEU.
  - ii. For the former Fraser River Port Authority jurisdiction (FRPA): Import laden: \$18.32 per TEU, export laden: \$13.23 per TEU.
  - iii. For the purposes of this TEU-based wharfage fee:
    - 1. containers with a length less than 40 feet shall be equal to 1 TEU;
    - 2. containers with a length equal to or greater than 40 feet but less than 45 feet shall be equal to 2 TEU's;
    - 3. containers with a length equal to 45 feet shall be equal to 2.25 TEU's; and
    - 4. the TEU measure for containers with a length greater than 45 feet shall be determined by dividing the length, in feet, by twenty to the nearest second decimal point.
- b. Breakbulk: Set rates as follows:
  - i. For the former VPA jurisdiction: Logs: \$4.61 per Thousand Foot Board Measure (MFBM) Scribner; lumber: \$2.56 per MFBM; woodpulp: \$2.25 per tonne; dry bulk: \$0.56 per tonne; all other cargo not otherwise specified: \$2.36 per tonne.
  - ii. For the former FRPA jurisdiction: Logs: \$3.05 per MFBM Scribner; lumber: \$1.27 per MFBM; woodpulp: \$1.12 per tonne; dry bulk: \$0.56 per tonne; liquid bulk: \$0.41 per tonne; all other cargo not otherwise specified: \$1.12 per tonne.

**2. Berthage**

Set rates for the entire VFPA jurisdiction as follows:

- i. Deep-sea vessels during working periods at \$0.415 per hour meter of Length Over All (LOA) with a minimum charge of \$305.40 per terminal visit;
- ii. Deep-sea vessels during non-working periods at \$0.153 per hour meter of LOA with a minimum charge of \$305.40 per terminal visit; and
- iii. Coastal vessels, tugs, fishing vessels, and yachts at \$0.112 per hour meter of LOA with a minimum charge of \$71.26 per terminal visit.

### 3. Harbour Dues

Harbour dues are being reviewed in the context of the pending activation of the North American Emissions Control Area (ECA). Changes, if any, will come into effect on August 1, 2012 consistent with the ECA.

The Vancouver Fraser Port Authority Fee Document and definitions of standards for air emissions are posted on our website [www.portmetrovancover.com](http://www.portmetrovancover.com) and may also be obtained from the VFPA upon request (1-888-767-8826). Persons interested in making written representations to the VFPA on the subject of the proposed fee amendments or any other matter in this notice may do so, **prior to January 1, 2012**, by writing to:

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Email: [customer\\_service@portmetrovancover.com](mailto:customer_service@portmetrovancover.com)

Yours truly,



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Director, Trade Development

## Appendix

### 1. Container Wharfage

	2011 Rates Import (per TEU)	2012 Rates Import (per TEU)	2011 Rates Export (per TEU)	2012 Rates Export (per TEU)
Deltaport, Vanterm & Centerm (Lynnterm?)	\$35.90	<b>\$36.55</b>	\$25.60	<b>\$26.06</b>
Fraser Surrey Dock	\$18.00	<b>\$18.32</b>	\$13.00	<b>\$13.23</b>

### 2. Cargo Wharfage

Commodity	Unit	2011 Rate per Unit (F-FRPA)	2012 Rate per Unit (F- FRPA)	2011 Rate per Unit (F-VPA)	2012 Rate per Unit (F- VPA)
Breakbulk: Logs	MFBM Scribner	\$3.00	<b>\$3.05</b>	\$4.53	<b>\$4.61</b>
Breakbulk: Lumber	MFBM	\$1.25	<b>\$1.27</b>	\$2.51	<b>\$2.56</b>
Breakbulk: Woodpulp	Tonne	\$1.10	<b>\$1.12</b>	\$2.21	<b>\$2.25</b>
Bulk: Dry	Tonne	\$0.55	<b>\$0.56</b>	\$0.55	<b>\$0.56</b>
Bulk: Liquid	Tonne	\$0.40	<b>\$0.41</b>	N/A	<b>N/A</b>
All Other NOS*	Tonne	\$1.10	<b>\$1.12</b>	\$2.32	<b>\$2.36</b>

\*: Not Otherwise Specified.

### 3. Berthage

Category		2011	2012
Deep-sea working period	Rate/ LOA/hr	\$0.408	<b>\$0.415</b>
	Min per visit	\$300.00	<b>\$305.400</b>
Deep-sea non-working period	Rate/ LOA/hr	\$0.150	<b>\$0.153</b>
	Min per visit	\$300.00	<b>\$305.400</b>
Coastal vessels	Rate/ LOA/hr	\$0.110	<b>\$0.112</b>
	Min per visit	\$70.00	<b>\$71.260</b>
Tugs, fishing vessels, and yachts	Rate/ LOA/hr	\$0.110	<b>\$0.112</b>
	Min	\$70.00	<b>\$71.260</b>