

Instruction

How I get the right freight rate



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Crucial is to pinpoint the framework for the job in question. Aim is consistency between the actual freight job and the freight rate. Below some basic information we typically need to make the right freight rate or put in a different way to make the rate for the precise freight job.

Shipper

- 1) Precise zip code and name of city name
- 2) Opening hours for collection Monday to Friday
- 3) Can shipper load on the floor of the trailer (approx. 120 cm from ground level)?
- 4) Can a standard trailer with truck (approx. 16.5 m long) access the loading point?

Consignee

- 1) Precise zip code and name of city name
- 2) Opening hours for collection Monday to Friday
- 3) Can consignee unload from the floor of the trailer (approx. 120 cm from ground level)?
- 4) Can a standard trailer with truck (approx. 16.5 m long) access the unloading point?

Goods

- 1) Type of goods (for instance, flour, bikes, sugar, paint, lawn mowers, coffee, furniture, machines etc.)
- 2) Dimensions i.e. length x width x height for each piece of goods to ship.
- 3) Weight for each piece of goods to ship
- 4) Packing issues (boxes, pallets, unpacked, machine handling possible etc.)
- 5) Do the goods stack, if so how high?

Specials:

- 1) High value goods
- 2) Hazardous goods (ref.: ADR, RID, IATA, IMO)
- 3) Should temperature during transport be an issue please inform min. an max. temperature.
- 4) In case goods are not allowed to transship via freight terminal please inform up front that you need at direct transport.

The more precise you can describe the frame for a given transport the more precise we can tailor the freight solution to make a transport match your expectations and requirements.

Based on accessible equipment, freight methods and suppliers in the market we calculate the right freight rate for exactly your freight job.

Shipping agent / forwarders should always know the goods in question / job in question.

We should be pleased to assist in clarifying your freight job per phone, e-mail or a meeting (virtual or physical) for more complex jobs.