

MARITIME CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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Subject : Reefer Operational Cost Surcharge

Dear Valued Business Partners,

As LimakPort, delivering high service quality, timely operations, and maximum cargo safety across all your operations at our terminal remains our top priority.

The recent extraordinary increase in reefer (refrigerated) container volumes arriving at our port has necessitated additional operational measures to fully safeguard cold chain integrity.

In response to this unexpected volume growth:

- **Cold Chain Security & 24/7 Technical Monitoring:** Additional technical personnel and extra shift staffing have been deployed to ensure uninterrupted monitoring of climate parameters for sensitive cargoes.
- **Energy & Infrastructure Management:** Additional power plugs have been commissioned to guarantee uninterrupted energy supply during peak demand periods.
- **Yard Optimization:** Additional intra-yard shifting operations, as well as supplementary transport vehicles, equipment, and workforce, have been allocated to manage density in the reefer yard and prevent disruptions during discharge and loading processes.

In order to maintain our high service standards and cargo security without compromise despite increasing labor, energy, yard management, and operational expenses, an additional operational surcharge of **170 USD + VAT per container** will be applied to all full reefer containers discharged at our port, effective **August 8, 2026**.

We thank you for your understanding and continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Deputy General Manager

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