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Introduction of ETS surcharge

Dear Customer,

As part of global and regional efforts to reduce CO2 emissions, the Emissions Trading System (ETS) has introduced additional costs related to CO2 quotas and compliance measures. These changes directly impact our operating costs, particularly in transportation and logistics, including ferry providers.

With the introduction of ETS on January 1, 2024, we initially chose to absorb these costs ourselves to minimize the impact on our customers. However, a further increase in costs as of January 1, 2025, has led us to the decision to pass on this expense to ensure the continued financial sustainability of our services.

Therefore, we are implementing an ETS surcharge effective from March 1, 2025. This surcharge will appear on your invoices and will help cover the increased costs associated with complying with CO2 emission requirements. The ETS surcharge is variable and will be adjusted on a monthly basis. The monthly surcharge will be send every month similar to our dieselsurcharge.

The ETS matrix is as follows:

2024: 40% 2025: 70% 2026: 100%

In the attached file, you will find the cost levels applicable for February.

For more information on the EU directive regarding ETS, we refer to the official documentation here: FAQ – Maritime transport in EU Emissions Trading System (ETS) - European Commission

We understand that price adjustments can be a concern, and we want to assure you that we are taking all necessary steps to manage these costs efficiently while maintaining transparency. If you have any questions or require further clarification, please feel free to contact your representative at NTG.

We appreciate your understanding and continued support as we work towards a more sustainable future together.

Best regards,

