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# Europe-West Africa Lines: Emergency Port Congestion Surcharge in Spanish ports

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Shipping operations at Spanish ports have been badly hit due to labour disputes as a consequence of the Spanish Port Act aiming to change the existing labour system in ports in accordance with the European Union regulations.

Industrial actions by Stevedores’ Union with a number of strikes planned through the month of March will further deteriorate our operations in Spain.  
CMA CGM Group wishes to inform its customers of the implementation of an Emergency Port Congestion Surcharge until further notice, as follows:

**Spanish exports:**

- From Spanish ports
- To West Africa ports
- Emergency Port Congestion Surcharge : EUR 100 / TEU
- All cargo including dry, reefer, out of gauge and break bulk
- Effective March 10th, 2017 (B/L date)

**Spanish imports:**

- From West Africa ports
- To Spanish ports
- Emergency Port Congestion Surcharge : EUR 100 / TEU
- All cargo including dry, reefer, out of gauge and break bulk
- Effective March 10th, 2017 (date of discharge in Spain)
- Surcharge is payable in Spain

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