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# Panama Canal Surcharge - Trade from Asia to US East Coast and Gulf

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We wish to inform you of a significant update regarding transit through the Panama Canal.

Effective **1 January 2025**, the Panama Canal Authority will introduce modifications to its Transit Reservation System, including adjustments to charges, changes in the tariff structure, and the implementation of new tariffs.

To address the increased costs associated with these changes and maintain our commitment to providing reliable and efficient services, MSC will introduce a **Panama Canal Surcharge (PCS)**.

## **Details of the PCS Surcharge:**

- Effective Date: 1 January 2025
- Trade Lanes Affected: Southeast Asia, China, Korea and Japan to US East Coast and Gulf
- Amount: USD 40 per TEU on all-cargo type

Should you have any questions, please <u>contact your local MSC representatives</u> in our global network of more than 675 offices.

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