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to whom it may concern

Oct. 1st 2024

Dear valued customer and business partner,

We herewith provide notification that Cargo Consolidation Corporation ("CCC") has declared force majeure for all shipments in and out of the United States East and Gulf Coast, in response to notifications CCC has received from vessel operating common carriers (VOCCs).

Force majeure will be effective immediately and is a result of the strike by the International Longshoremen's Association (ILA), which started last night on 1<sup>st</sup> off Oct., 2024.

Cargo Consolidation Corp. reserves all rights according to our bill of lading terms and conditions under these special circumstances.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for further information.

Best regards,

Sören Thode President / CEO

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