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Dear Sir or Madam,

We would like to send an update concerning the EU Regulation 1875/2006. Please find herewith the new requirements.

Effective from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2011 all goods brought into the customs territory of the European Community (including Norway and Switzerland), regardless of the final destination should be covered by an Entry Summary Declaration (ENS). Initially the ENS will be completed by the shipping Lines based upon the information within the shipping instructions and submitted 24 hours prior to the cargo being loaded onto the vessel.

With the effective date only 1 month away, shipping Lines will commence trialling ENS procedures over the forthcoming weeks. **TOP UNION** would like to ensure all our customers and suppliers within the Asia Pacific region are well informed of the ENS requirements and compliant prior to 1<sup>st</sup> January 2011. We would like to request that from 8<sup>th</sup> December 2010 all the elements of the ENS are included within the shipping instructions.

The cut off time for submitting all ENS information will be set by the shipping Lines. Our local colleagues will keep you well informed of both the Lines and our cut-off times.

The shipping Lines will be charging for the ENS service which we anticipate will be similar to the 24 hr Advanced Manifest Rule on US trade routes. Presently only a few shipping Lines have announced the associated charges, we will keep you well informed of all new ENS charges.



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Please refer to the below table which highlights the mandatory information to be included in shipping instructions going forward.

Mandatory	Provided if available
Consignor – Shipper	Consignor – Shipper or Consignee's EORI Number
Consignee	Shipper marks for packaged goods (not necessary for containerised goods)
Notify Party when "To Order B/L	Seal Number
HS4 or HS6 codes or acceptable goods description base on EU guideline**	
Type & Number of Packages	
Container Number	
Gross Weight (kg)	
UN Number for Dangerous Goods	

*\*\* We strongly recommended providing the HS codes due to different languages throughout the EU. Failure to provide HS codes and the mandatory information will result in a "do not load" instruction from the destination EU customs.*

## Recommended links

Please see below a number of recommended website links where more information applying to the EU Regulation 1875/2006 can be found.

[European Commission](#)

[HS Codes](#)

[EORI](#)

For further information or should you have any questions relating to ENS, please contact your local TOP UNION representative or Top Union Headquarter on +852 39725100