Ongoing schedule disruptions impacting shipping operations in Pakistan

Dear Valued Customers and Partners,

We wish to inform you of ongoing schedule disruptions impacting shipping operations in Pakistan, particularly following the recent developments between Pakistan and India. These events have caused significant shifts in vessel routing and transit schedules.

Initially, major carriers such as MSC and CMA CGM rerouted their vessels via Colombo, resulting in extended transit times and increased handling requirements. Currently, MSC is experiencing a considerable backlog at Port Qasim. However, they have communicated plans to deploy additional feeder vessels in the coming days to expedite cargo uplift from origin points.

In response to the changing dynamics, CMA CGM and ONE have begun promoting their direct services to Europe. That said, given MSC's dominant market share in the region, their delays have had a ripple effect on other carriers as well.

Please rest assured that we are closely monitoring the situation and maintaining active communication with all relevant parties to minimize disruptions. In the meantime, we recommend reaching out to your key account teams to consider alternative planning and backup solutions as needed.

We sincerely appreciate your continued trust and understanding during this time. Should you have any questions or require assistance with contingency planning, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Warm regards, WWG Consolidators Pvt. Ltd.