Singapore Airlines Cargo Pte. Ltd. (SQ/618)

2. Acceptance for Carriage

2.1. General
2.1.3. Carriers' Liability
Except as the relevant Convention limit may otherwise require, the liability of the Carrier shall not exceed SDR 19 or equivalent per kilogram of cargo destroyed, damaged, lost or delayed; all claims shall be subject to proof of value and verification of supporting documents.

2.3. Acceptance of Goods
2.3.3. Restrictions in Acceptance
A. Restrictions Due to Nature of Goods
Arms, Ammunition, Explosive, Dangerous Goods, Wet Cargo and Consolidations - Please refer to carrier's Cargo Office for carrier's requirement.

1. Animals, live
a. Pigs will not be accepted for uplift on passenger flights. They are acceptable on freighter flights only.
b. Primates for research/laboratory purposes will not be accepted.
c. Live bees are acceptable only under certain conditions. Carrier's prior approval of packing is required. Please refer to the carrier's cargo office.
d. Total embargo of live birds **except** poultry on all SIA Cargo flights. The embargo will not apply to live birds being transported as part of exchange programmes between Government-sponsored zoological gardens or bird parks. Nevertheless, such shipments must conform to CITES (Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Flora and Fauna) regulations and IATA procedures for carriage.
e. Poisonous snakes will not be accepted on all aircraft.
f. Live dolphins and shark fins will not be accepted on all SQ flights.

3. Transportation Charges

3.7. Class Rates
3.7.2. Live Animals

1. To and from Australia:
a. All Live Animals except baby poultry less than 72 hours old

To Australia	155% of the Normal GCR
From Australia	207% of the Applicable GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge

b. Baby poultry less than 72 hours old

To Australia	Normal GCR
From Australia	207% of the Applicable GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge

2. Between the USA and the ECAA:
a. All Live Animals except baby poultry less than 72 hours old

USA to ECAA	181% of the Normal GCR
ECAA to USA	181% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge

b. Baby poultry less than 72 hours old

USA to ECAA	Normal GCR
ECAA to USA	Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge

3. Regional services:
For carriage of fish, day old chicks, ducklings, goslings and hatching eggs, the normal under 45 kg. rate shall apply. For other animals the charge will be 150% of the normal 45 kg. rate and the minimum charge is 150% of the applicable minimum charge.

Note:
Regional services means the services between Singapore, Malaysia and Brunei.

3.7.6. Valuable Cargo

1. To and from Australia:

To Australia	207% of the Normal GCR
From Australia	207% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge
Note: Minimum charge may not be lower than USD 50.00	

2. Between the USA and the ECAA:

USA to ECAA	207% of the Normal GCR
ECAA to USA	207% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	207% of the applicable Minimum Charge
Note: Minimum charge may not be lower than USD 50.00	

3. Regional services:
a. Security Handling Fee:
SIA Cargo will levy the following Security Handling Fee for all valuable cargo shipments or consignments which require security handling arrangement.
Between SIN and BWN; and
between SIN and Malaysia:

- Per consignment up to 40 kg. ..... SGD 50.00
- Per consignment over 40 kg. ..... SGD 110.00

b. Valuable Cargo:
The charge for valuable cargo except banknotes and currencies is the normal under 45 kg. rate.
For banknotes and currencies, the following rates are applicable (in SGD per kg.):

Between		Rate
SIN and KUL, PEN per kg.	SGD	3.00
SIN and BWN per kg.	SGD	5.50

The minimum charge for valuable cargo, including banknotes and currencies shall be the applicable minimum charge plus the above Security Handling Fee.

3.7.7. Newspapers, Periodicals, Magazines, Books, Catalogues, Braille Type Equipment and Talking Books for the Blind

1. To and from Australia:

To Australia	52% of the Normal GCR
From Australia	52% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	Normal Minimum Charge

2. Between the USA and the ECAA:

USA to ECAA	69% of the Normal GCR
ECAA to USA	69% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	Normal Minimum Charge

3. Regional services:
SIN-BWN: shall be charged at the normal under 45 kg. rate. or the regional minimum charge, whichever is higher.

3.7.8. Baggage Shipped as Cargo

1. To and from Australia:

To Australia	Applicable GCR
From Australia	78% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	Normal Minimum Charge

2. Between the USA and the ECAA:

USA to ECAA	Applicable GCR
ECAA to USA	78% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	Normal Minimum Charge

3.7.9. Human Remains
Ashes/Coffins

Within Singapore, West Malaysia, Brunei	300% of the Normal GCR
All other IATA Areas	200% of the Normal GCR
Minimum Charge	200% of the Normal Minimum Charge
Note: Minimum charge may not be lower than USD 65.00	

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4. Services and Related Charges

4.3. Insurance

1. SIA Cargo (SQ) has not been accepting cargo with "Declared Value for Carriage" on all SQ flights since 01 December 2004. Please ensure that "NVD" (No Value Declared) is typed under the "Declared Value for Carriage" on all AWBs carried on SQ flights. Shipments with declared value will not be accepted for carriage unless the agent agrees to amend the AWB at cargo acceptance.
2. Effective 01 December 2004, shipments with customs value which exceed USD 300,000 will also not be accepted for carriage if the amount is inserted and declared in the AWB box for "Declared Value for Customs". Shippers and forwarders may continue to insert the customs value in the AWB box for consignments that are worth less than USD 300,000 per AWB, or may choose to type NCV or leave the AWB box blank, as the consignment value is always separately declared in the commercial invoice.
3. As per 01 July 2004, SIA Cargo has also ceased providing insurance services.
   As such, the "Amount of Insurance" box on the AWB shall not be used and should be indicated and declared as "NIL" or "XXX". Shippers requiring insurance coverage should obtain their own insurance from an external agency.
4. Please note that the above rules are also applicable to interline cargo carried on SQ flights.
5. In case the above rules are not complied and the consignments are uplifted on SQ flights in contradiction to these rules, no party can derive rights to any form of compensation, exceeding the liability limits set out in the Warsaw or Montreal Conventions.

4.5. Charges for Shipments of Dangerous Goods

The minimum fee for carriage of dangerous goods on SIA Cargo to all IATA areas is USD 100.00 (or the equivalent in local currency). This fee may however vary subject to local market practices at our sales offices.
For more information, please contact our local SIA Cargo office.

4.6. Special Charge for Shipments of Arms and Munitions

A surcharge of USD 50.00 or its equivalent will be charged for all shipments of arms and munitions of war accepted for carriage on SIA Cargo except:

Australia	not applicable
Brunei	BND 100.00 per shipment
Germany	EUR 76.69 per shipment
Switzerland	CHF 125.00 per shipment
United Kingdom	GBP 45.00 per shipment
Singapore	SGD 100.00 per shipment

Please refer to airline office for more details on charges relating to Civil Aviation permit, Customs permit, and security escort.

7. Special Country Information

7.2. Charges Collect

Important notes:

1. Charges Collect is available to all SQ-online points unless stated otherwise in Section 7.2. of TACT Rules.
2. Charges Collect facility is not available to SQ offline points.
3. Charges Collect shipments ex-USA are not permitted.

7.3. Import/Transit/export Regulations

1. Import / Transit / Export Charges

Horse Stalls

- Cost for cleaning and washing of horse stalls shall be shown as prepaid and inserted as "LI" under the "Other Charges" box on the AWB.
- Forwarders are advised to check with SIA Cargo Sales Office for the charges.

2. Transit Charges

VET Inspection Charges

- Government veterinary (VET) inspection charge of EUR 50.00 per shipment for **transiting** of Live Animals (AVI), perishables (PER) and animal products (PEM, PES, PEA, etc) **originating from non-EU countries into the EU at SIA Cargo's EU gateways** (AMS, BRU, CDG, FRA, etc).
- This fee is to be shown as prepaid on the AWB as follows:
  i). "LG" for consignment of Live Animals (AVI), and
  ii). "MC" for consignment of perishables (PER) and animal products (PEM, PES, PEA, etc)

France:

- **Customs fee**
  French Customs has mandated capturing of MAWB and HAWB details for inbound cargo trucked within or transiting French territory. This effort requires manual entry into their NSTI system. Hence with effect from 01 April 2005, SIA Cargo will impose a customs fee of EUR 2.00 per MAWB and per HAWB for all inbound cargo trucked within France, or transiting, and trucked from France to other EC countries. This fee is to be prepaid and shown as CCC under due carrier charges on the MAWB.

8. Special Rules and Regulations

8.1. Interline Agreements Between Carriers

All interline shipments transferred to SQ must be accompanied by the electronic Air Waybill message (FWB). The FWB message must be sent to SINFMSQ (Sita address of SQ System) prior to the transfer of shipment.
SQ reserves the right to charge up to a maximum of USD 3.00 per AWB if the FWB cannot be provided.

9. Miscellaneous Information

9.1. C.O.D.

No C.O.D. shipments will be accepted on Singapore Airlines Cargo AWBs (618).

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