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## Customer Update

### Road R & D Charge – Lyttelton Container Terminal, CityDepot, MidlandPort

At Lyttelton Port Company we value the strong relationships we have with our transport operators and acknowledge the important role you play in keeping goods moving. Our focus remains on providing safe, reliable and efficient port services that support your operations and the wider supply chain.

LPC is committed to expanding port facilities to meet the increasing demands of our customers. To achieve this, we must ensure our investments are financially sustainable.

To this end, we are writing to let you know about an upcoming increase to the Road R and D Charge, which will take effect from **Monday 6 July 2026**. We are providing this information in advance to help with your planning and budgeting.

The updated charges apply to Lyttelton Container Terminal, CityDepot, and MidlandPort:

#### Updated Ancillary Charges

Ancillary Charge	Charge	Description
Road R&D Charge LCT	\$95.00 per container  <i>Cost breakdown:</i> VBS Usage Charge – \$15.00 All other R&D costs – \$80.00	Charged per container to trucking companies for all road R&D movements via VBS. Applies to Lyttelton Container Terminal.
Road R&D Charge Inland Ports	\$80.00 per container  <i>Cost breakdown:</i> VBS Usage Charge – \$15.00 All other R&D costs – \$65.00	Charged per container to trucking companies for all road R&D movements via VBS. Applies to CityDepot and MidlandPort (empties).
Late Arrival Charge	\$30.00	Charged per booking when a truck arrives within half an hour after the booked time zone.
Listing Charge	\$20.00	Charged for any booking that is listed at any time.

Note: There are no changes to the Late Arrival or Listing Charges as part of this annual update.

While LPC acknowledges that this level of increase may pose challenges, especially in the current global climate, these adjustments are necessary to continue investing in infrastructure, systems, and services that support safe, efficient, and reliable landside and quayside operations.

If you have any questions regarding this update, please get in touch with your usual LPC representative.

Regards,

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