



EVERGREEN LINE

TERMINAL OPERATIONS

UPDATE TO GEORGIA PORTS AUTHORITY CONTAINER DWELL PROCESS

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Dear Valued Evergreen Customer/Supplier:

We wish to inform you of important updates Georgia Ports Authority has issued to its long-dwell container process.

Beginning June 1, 2025, GPA will implement a revised process for handling import containers that are not under customs hold and have exceeded specific dwell time thresholds. The following steps outline the actions that will be taken at each dwell threshold:

- **60 Days Dwell:**
Evergreen will advise customers of the 60-day threshold being exceeded upon notification from GPA.
- **Relocation of Container:**
At this 60-day threshold, in accordance with MTOS Rule 34-260 (Transfer of Cargo After Free Time), **GPA will relocate containers from the vessel operational area to a secondary storage area. This move will be charged at the intra-terminal stack relocation rate.**
- **90 Days Dwell:**
If there has been no response from the customer, GPA will send a follow-up email and issue a certificate letter to Evergreen initiating the abandonment process. Evergreen will advise the customer of this development.
- **105 Days Dwell:**
GPA will send a final reminder email and begin coordinating with legal authorities to move forward with abandonment procedures. Evergreen will advise the customer of this status.
- **121 Days Dwell:**
The container will be officially considered abandoned.

If you have any questions, please contact your Evergreen Sales Representative. A comprehensive contact list can be found by visiting <https://www.evergreen-shipping.us/egsweb/jsp/officelist.jsp>

Your understanding and continued support is most appreciated.

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