Logistics Cluster Libya

Logistics Providers - Tripoli

Shipping Agents:

- Gebril Shipping Agency
  Engineer Naji Muftah
  +218(0)925295909
  Omar el Mokhtar Street, el Hadad Building, 2nd Floor, Flat No 10, Tripoli

- Amwaj al Shati
  Both a shipping agent and clearing & forwarding agent
  Contact: Ali Abu Salaam
  +218(0)926827689
  Qasr bin Rashir, Tripoli

Superintendents:

- Hadi Technical Services & Consulting
  Sidi Husein Complex
  Nasser Street
  3rd Floor
  Office number 310
  +218(0)925103817
  The company’s main office is in Tripoli but they temporarily relocated to Benghazi (the above contact details)

Stevedores:

- Prior to the conflict, stevedoring was carried out by the port. The port currently does not have any labour available and vessels/consignees are organising their own. Ad hoc arrangements can be made for gangs of locally sourced labour to be given access to the port. Volunteers have been found on many occasions to assist with the offload of humanitarian vessels. The port authorities have stated that external labourers brought into the port must be Libyans and not foreign nationals

- To bring external labour into the port, a letter of request must be written to the head of Customs at the port (Mr Nurideen Abu Hallala). The letter should indicate the day/s these labourers will be working at the port, the names and ID numbers of the labourers, the vessel they will work on, and an explanation that due to the lack of labour at the port it is necessary for you to bring your own. Once the letter has been signed/approved by the head of Customs, the letter should be taken to the port manager for handling and warehousing, who will also sign/approve the letter. The letter is then given to the Customs Officer at the port gate who will let in labourers according to the details on the letter.

- NOTE: The situation is changing/improving rapidly in Tripoli and it is hoped labourers will return to the port. Before organising ad hoc labourers, it would be advisable to call the port to check whether it has capacity to provide some or all of your stevedoring requirements

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Clearing and Forwarding Agents:

- El Mahari Office for Service and Custom
  Tripoli company
  Operations Manager: Hussein al Sayed
  +218(0)926613146

- Amwaj al Shati
  See above “Shipping Agents”

- Al Ghazaly Office Custom Clearing
  Public Relations Manager: Abdulatti al Sadeg al Ghadamsi
  +218(0)925214330
  +218(0)925611755
  Jamal Abdulnasser Street, Tripoli
  Al Ghazaly can provide customs clearance at Ras Adjir land border crossing; Tripoli, Al Khums, and Misrata ports; and Tripoli International and Mitiga airports. They can also organise forwarding services.

Transporters:

- Al Jazeera
  Countrywide operations, head office in Benghazi
  General Manager: Ali al Amame
  +218(0)925129341

- Al Joman Logistics
  Contact: Omar Fanush
  +218(0)913756547
  info@aljoman-logistics.com

- Sharaf Shipping Co.
  Contact: Alhashmy Arafat
  +218(0)912166996
  info@ssalibya.com

- All three companies operate throughout Libya. They may be able to organize stevedoring and labour as part of any transport contract.

Customs Procedures:

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At present, almost all customs procedures are being waived for humanitarian cargo. However, normally the following documentation is required:

- Certificate of origin
- Invoice
- Packing list
- Bill of Lading
- Delivery order from the Shipping Co
- Import licence (for specialised items eg. telecoms)
- Chassis number and colour of vehicles
- Serial numbers of generators and other equipment

(Note: This information comes from the WFP Shipping Agent. Further updates from local customs officials will be provided as soon as possible.)

Port Contacts:

- The port is owned by the Marine Ministry, however port operations have been run by the Socialist Ports Company for over 20 years. All pilots, port handling equipment, stevedores, and port storage fall under this company.
- Website: www.lpclipya.com. Phone: +15-627910 51 218.

Port Handling Equipment:

- 4 x 40’ container lifters (3 x Liebherr and 1 x Hyster models)
- 2 x 40’ container cranes (Liebherr)
- 3 x empty container lifters (Liebherr)
- 3 x 3mt forklifts
- 2 x 7mt forklifts
- 6 or 7 40’ container carriers (trailers and cabs)
- 1 x tug master
- 10 x mafis
- Cranes up to 60mt are available. A 100mt crane is currently out of service

Handling Charges:

The chief of port revenues reports that from the liberation of Tripoli until the 11th of September, port handling was provided free of charge. From September 12th, the port reinstated charges for handling services for commercial cargo. However, handling services continue to be provided free of charge for humanitarian cargo. The port tariff now in place for commercial cargo is the same as that prior to the liberation of Tripoli.

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Commercial Liners Serving Tripoli

- **MSC:**
  - Benghazi – Tripoli – Khoms – Misrata. Transshipment hub is Gioia Tauro
  - Local agent is Esterlab Libyan Shipping Agency Co (Elsag Co)
  - Wahat Centre – Suites 8 & 9, Hay Alandalus, P.O. Box 6250, Tripoli
  - +218(0)214778426, +218(0)214780804
  - Esterlab is reportedly owned by Husni Bey

- **MAERSK:**
  - Port Said - Benghazi - Misrata - Khoms - Port Said. Ports can be subject to omission if there is insufficient cargo
  - Local agent is al Rowad Shipping
  - The manager of the Tripoli branch of al Rowad Shipping is Bashir Rashid
  - +218(0)913233662
  - Al Fateh Tower, 1st floor, 64, Tripoli

- **CMA-CGM:**
  - Weekly service out of Malta to all Libyan ports except Khoms
  - Local agent is Overseas Shipping Company
  - +218(0)213350870
  - Thaat el Emad Towers, tower 5, 1st floor, Tripoli

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