

USTRANSCOM Personal Property Advisory #21-0042

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From: USTRANSCOM Defense Personal Property Management Office (DPMO/TCJ9), Scott AFB, IL 62225

To: Department of Defense Approved Non-Temporary Storage Transportation Service Providers (NTS TSPs)

Subject: Request of Information (RFI) - Containerized Rates

1. The Defense Personal Property Management Office is revising the NTS TOS to include the addition of containerized rates. This Advisory is to evaluate the level of interest NTS TSPs have in submitting containerized rates and areas they would likely submit rates in. Containerized rates will be submitted as a special rate in accordance with the standard rate filing process.
2. SMO is only seeking information at this time; however, provisions to enable containerized NTS shipments are included in the Draft 2021 NTS TOS update and located in PAR 5.2. The updated NTS TOS will go into effect 01 June 2021.
3. Containers must meet or exceed military specifications outlined in SDDC PAM 55-12 and meet or exceed the specifications outlined in ASTM-D651.
4. Containerized shipments will reduce the handling of personal property, which will reduce damage and claims; and improve customer service.
5. Containerized rates are for pack/drayage in/handle in/storage/handle out/drayage out/unpack. The use of the container shall be inclusive of the containerized rates.
6. Interested NTS TSPs can submit an e-mail stating Company name, TOS, SCAC. Include GBLOC(s) and rate areas serviced. Example:

Subject: Containerized Rates Interest

From: ZZ M&S, SCAC, TOSS00-21-G-0000

My company is interested in submitting containerized rates for the following areas:

GBLOC and Rate Area – AGFM/X
Zones X1 and X2

Joe XYZ
President/CEO
ZZ M&S

7. Information provided will be used to generate the containerized schedule of rates sheet(s). Sheets will be posted to the public Defense Personal Property Management web page and also on the move.mil/SME page. Each provider expressing interest per this advisory will receive an e-mailed copy of the applicable rate sheet and Certificate of Independent Price Determination.

- 8.** Deadline for responses to this RFI is **25 March 2021**.
- 9.** Containerized Rates must be submitted **NLT 10 May 2021** to be effective 01 June 2021. As a reminder, DPMO will transition from a monthly rate filing process to a quarterly process. The first round of quarterly rates will be effective 01 October 2021, with rates submitted no later than **15 August 2021**. Monthly rate filing will be accepted until the final effective date of 01 August 2021 with rates submitted no later than 10 July 2021.
- 10.** Questions concerning Containerized Rates will be taken during the upcoming NTS Industry sessions scheduled for 15 and 17 March 2021.
- 11.** This message was approved for release by the Deputy Director for Operations, Defense Personal Property Management Office, TCJ9-O.