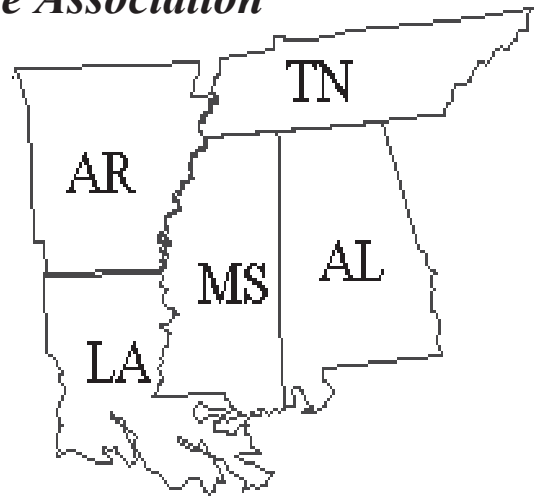


# Southern Currents



## Notice to the Area Port of New Orleans Trade Community

Date March 7, 2007

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Subject: Increase in Fees for Services

CBP published Final Rule 72 FR 3730 on January 26, 2007 advising that certain U.S. Customs and Border Protection fees will increase by 10%. Effective April 1, 2007, the fee types and their new rates are listed in the table below.

### {TABLE 1} SUMMARY OF NEW FEE RATES

FEE TYPE	Old Fee Rates Prior to April 1, 2007 (Unit Fee/Annual Cap)	New Fee Rates On/After April 1, 2007 (Unit Fee/Annual Cap)
Commercial Vessels	\$397.00/\$5,955	\$437.00/\$5,955
Commercial Trucks	\$5.00/\$100.00	\$5.50/\$100.00
Railroad Cars	\$7.50/\$100.00	\$8.25/\$100.00
Private Aircraft (Decal)	\$25.00	\$27.50
Private Vessel (Decal)	\$25.00	\$27.50
Commercial Aircraft Passenger (User Fee)	\$5.00	\$5.50
Commercial Vessel Passenger (User Fee-Non Exempt)	\$5.00	\$5.50
Commercial Vessel Passenger	\$1.75	\$1.93
Dutiable Mail	\$5.00	\$5.50
Broker Permit	\$125.00	\$138.00
Barges and other bulk carriers	\$100.00/\$1,500	\$110.00/\$1,500

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For information regarding user fee policy and rates, please contact Mr. Jerry Petty, Director, Cost Management Division, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Room 4.5A, Washington, D.C. 20229 at (202) 344-1317 or Email: [Jerry.Petty@dhs.gov](mailto:Jerry.Petty@dhs.gov).

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