

March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Greetings Valued Customers,

Throughout last year, and into 2022, transportation costs have continued to escalate due to rising oil costs, limitations on equipment & drivers, and unprecedented demand for truck and rail transportation. With the current conflict unfolding in Ukraine, the pressure on oil related industries has continued to mount, driving transportation costs up again. The national average of diesel fuel alone is expected to rise an additional 25% next week. Due to this rise in transportation cost, Atlas is announcing a **\$100 per truckload** increase in freight surcharge, effective with all shipments starting March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

The increased freight surcharge will go into effect for all shipments starting March 14<sup>th</sup>, regardless of order entry date. We will continue to monitor, but please be prepared as costs are expected to continue to rise over the next several weeks and months.

We appreciate your understanding. If you have any questions, please contact your Atlas Sales Representative.

Sincerely,

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