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To our Valued Customers,

Due to the recent Longshoremen's strike stretching from Maine to Texas at the East and Gulf Coast ports, TST has had several inquiries as to the potential effects on our operations and any anticipated disruptions in our shipments and product availability.

We too have had conversations with our suppliers up the chain to insure the supplies needed to manufacture your products are met.

At this time, the port strikes will not affect our ability to supply our entire customer base with normal product deliveries and routine availability. Truckload | Driver availability remains strong, as alternative loads are being sought out from those who otherwise would have been picking up at the affected ports.



Our current inventories across our 5 plants are solid in both raw material and finished goods, with replenishment already in what is mostly a domestic pipeline. Therefore, we should not expect to see large spikes in our customers ordering pattern.

As always, we appreciate our partnerships and support and will keep you informed of any further

developments. Should the strike be prolonged and continue through the next few weeks, we will update once again. Please reach out to your TST Account Manager or Customer Service with any questions.