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UPDATE: SITUATION AT DURBAN PORT

Please note that we are still experiencing delays as the staff at Durban Port are working to clear the backlog, however, we do note that this will take some time. Transnet have been using their watercraft to transport their staff to their respective work stations and so operations are beginning to normalise.

In addition to this, there is rumour of a possible truckers strike from the 28th of November to the 2nd of December. There is a call for operators to effectively boycott the port by keeping their trucks in their depots in an effort to make the officials at Transnet understand that this situation is not sustainable.

They are protesting the inhumane conditions that the drivers have to face when stuck in the terminals for days on end without easy access to ablutions or food, and are calling for immediate action to be taken by the management at Transnet to remedy the situation.

We would like to stress that we have received no official notification of this boycott, however, the below article from the Mercury does lend credence to the rumour.

<https://www.iol.co.za/mercury/news/kzn-economy-under-threat-as-truckers-threaten-harbour-shutdown-over-operational-inefficiencies-38112919>

We are in constant communication with all of our logistics partners and will keep clients abreast as the situation continues to develop.

We thank you for your continued support and partnership

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