

Safcor Panalpina's bulletin to our valued partners

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Durban Delays

The queues of vehicles collecting containers at the Durban Container terminal are reported to be "enormous". Waiting times for trucks collecting containers are up to 15 hours. Portnet yesterday asked hauliers not to send any further vehicles into the harbor, but didn't specify the causes of the delays being experienced.

This will impact on deliveries to clients and will extend total transit times for import cargoes. We will continue to monitor the situation and will advise clients of any further deterioration.

At present 13 ships are awaiting berths and a further 29 are expected to arrive off the port in the next 8 days.

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