



Seller's duties As agreed Buyer's duties

= The Goods

## **CHOICE OF DELIVERY TERMS**

In modern transport systems, goods are not always inspected at points where the risk is transferred according to Incoterms® 2010. To avoid dispute concerning where loss or damage has inccurred along the transport chain, it is advisable to agree to terms of delivery where one party bears the risk for the goods during the entire transport.

## **STATE INCOTERMS® 2010**

When making an agreement based on Incoterms, it is advisable to state the terms of delivery agreed on in the contract of sale and commercial invoices e.g. "FOB Gothenburg, Incoterms® 2010". This prevents problems with interpretation which may arise in countries having their own definitions of delivery terms. If recommends the use of Incoterms® 2010 for international shipments and strongly advises against forming own delivery terms.

## NOTICE OF LOSS, PERIODS OF LIMITATION AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY IN INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTS

APPLICABLE RULES	NOTICE OF LOSS		PERIOD OF LIMITATION	LIMITATION OF LIABILITY
	Apparent loss or damage	Not apparent loss or damage		for loss or damage
1. CARRIAGE BY SEA Haag-Visby Rules/ Finnish Maritime Code	Upon receipt of goods	3 days	1 year	SDR* 667/package/ SDR 2/kg
2. CARRIAGE BY AIR The Montreal Convention	Upon receipt of goods	14 days	2 years	SDR 19/kg
3. CARRIAGE BY RAIL CIM Convention	Upon receipt of goods	7 days	1 year	SDR 17/kg
RKL - Finnish Railroad Transport Act	Upon receipt of goods	10 days	1 year	EUR 25/kg
<b>4. CARRIAGE BY ROAD</b> CMR/TKSL	Upon receipt of goods	7 days	1 year	SDR 8,33/kg
TKSL – Finnish Contracts of Carriage by Road Act	Upon receipt of goods	7 days	1 year	EUR 20/kg
<b>5.NORDIC FORWARDING</b> NSAB (when liability as carrier)	Upon receipt of goods	7 days	1 year	SDR 8,33/kg

<sup>\* 1</sup> SDR has lately fluctuated between EUR 1,10-1,25.

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Please observe limitation of liability for carriers above and thus the need for cargo insurance. If P&C Insurance Company Ltd. is your professional guide both on this as well as on Incoterms® 2010.

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