

## New Claims Can Be Emailed To:

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## Cargo Claims Procedure

- **Immediate Notice of Loss or Damage must be given to:**  
The Claims Department  
Vero Marine Insurance  
PO Box 1759, Auckland, New Zealand  
Tel: +64 9 363 2600 Fax: +64 9 363 2601 Email: claims@veromarine.co.nz
- **Written Initial Notice of Claim must be sent *immediately* to:**  
The company or carrier who issued the Bill of Lading/Air Waybill or their local agents; *and/or*  
The airline who discharged cargo at the country of destination; *and/or*  
The road delivery carrier should there be any evidence or indication that they may have caused, or contributed to, the damage.
- **Receipt of Goods**  
Always inspect thoroughly for damage.  
Count the packages to check for short delivery.  
Do not give a clean receipt if goods are damaged or short. Endorse the delivery docket as such.  
Retaped packaging is a sure sign of pilferage – check contents.
- **Unpacking**  
Unpack or open packaging to inspect goods as soon as possible for hidden damage.  
Keep packaging for inspection.
- **Joint Survey**  
Phone responsible Carrier and invite them to a joint survey inspection with the Vero Marine appointed surveyor.
- **Minimise Loss**  
Take such reasonable action to prevent further loss. *Act as if uninsured.*

## Cargo Claims Documentation Checklist

Ensure that all documents are original and are attached to the claims form:

- Original policy/certificate of insurance
- Original Bill of Lading, Consignment Freight Notes, Air Waybill
- Supplier's invoice for full shipment
- Original or copy of shipping invoices, together with shipping specification and/or weight notes
- Packing lists, if applicable
- Copy of delivery receipt, EWP and Tally Notes
- Copy of the initial notice of claim on carriers
- Copy of all correspondence entered into with carriers and other parties regarding their liability for loss or damage
- All container temperature charts, if applicable
- Itemised valued claim
- Photos of damaged property

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