



Logistics Traffic Report:

An update on global situations that may affect product flow.

Week of:

- August 13th, 2018 – Germany, Italy, North America

- **Germany**
Status:
 - A major storm hit Germany late last week causing disruptions and delays to rail services. Though there is a backlog as service returns to normal, no LCBO shipments appear to have been affected.
- **Italy**
Status:
 - Restrictions on heavy truck traffic have been imposed on Italian roadways. These restrictions began in July and will extend each weekend throughout August. We are working to adapt a new transportation schedule to accommodate higher volumes due to a compressed schedule. LCBO Traffic will keep all affected parties updated should delays be encountered.
- **North America**
Status:
 - Some delays in shipments headed into/out of the United States are still being experienced. LCBO Traffic reports no interruptions to inbound freight.
 - Terminal congestion, labour issues, and a rail car shortage are resulting in delays of shipments through both the Port of Montreal and Port of Vancouver. LCBO Traffic is monitoring the movement of good through both ports and will report on any delays should they be experienced.

This is a general information circular designed to alert members of the trade to global issues which may affect product flow. For detailed information as to the status of particular product shipments please contact your Customer Service Representative (for Specialty Services shipments) or Inventory Manager directly.

LCBO Traffic Team