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## NETWORK NEWS

*A GLOBAL INFORMATION SOURCE FOR FORWARD THINKERS*

### *Important Announcement*

#### Hurricane Dorian Relief Donations for The Bahamas

Last week, the Corporate Office sent out an email announcing United Shipping's intent to help relief efforts for the devastating aftermath of Hurricane Dorian. We asked partners to donate to this cause as this catastrophe has left thousands without homes, without clothes and food and with nowhere to turn. So many people lost their lives and the ones who survived are in dire need. No amount is too small. If you can donate to this worthy cause, please email USI's CEO, [Bill Hromada](#). He can also answer any questions you may have. To see the message we sent last week, click [here](#).

If you are haven't seen the footage of what is left of a once beautiful country, click the video below. It shows aerial footage of what is left. United Shipping wants to help in any way we can. If you want to be apart of that - please let us know.



# Meeting News

## Board Meeting Reminder

The upcoming, annual Board of Directors meeting will take place October 31st - November 1st. If you have any questions or concerns, please take a moment and contact your PRBD (Personal Representative to the Board) and let them know your thoughts. Your PRBD is listed on your Partner Page on the [United Shipping website](#), as well as their email addresses. If you do need to contact your PRBD, please make sure to do so as soon as possible.

## Corporate News

### UPS Tips & Tricks Avoiding Audit Charges



You may have seen an 'Audit Correction Charge' on your UPS bill. Do you know what this means or how to avoid them? UPS does random audit checks on envelopes and packages. When/if the weight and measurements don't match what was listed when the shipment was created, there is now an audit charge applied by UPS. When you enter a weight for a package, you also need to list the correct length/width/height for the package as well. Leaving this information off can end up costing you more. The

L/W/H is not applicable for envelopes - just "Other Packaging" as shown below. Exact weights and measurements is the only way to avoid these charges. If you have questions, let [us](#) know!

### 3 WHAT ARE YOU SHIPPING?

Number of Packages:

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Use the same values for all packages?

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Packaging Type: ?

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Weight:

 lb \*

Package Dimensions: ?

Length:

Width:

Height:

 in.

Large or Unusually Shaped Packages ?

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Large Package

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Additional Handling

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## Holidays





## Send Us Your News!



Please send the Corporate Office any updates on your company, new employees, current or completed projects, awards or recognitions and/or anything you want to share with our USI family! Photos, videos, or presentations are always a plus! Please

send all submissions to [us](#) today!

## Partner News

### New Addition to Solmaz Welcome Yesim Soylemez



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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

#### Yeşim Söylemez



She started her career in 1989 as City Planner. She continued her career from 1998 in various managerial positions, including Territory Sales Manager, Air Freight Sales Manager and Group Sales Manager.

She started to work as **“Head Of Freight”** at Solmaz in 09.09.2019

Born in 29 May 1968 Söylemez, graduated from Gazi University, department of urban and regional planning

We wish her a lot of success in her new job.

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**Montreal Designated as Foreign Trade Zone**

One of our Canadian partners, A.G.O. Transportation, sent us this informative announcement:



“With a foreign trade zone designation, Montreal has just acquired another tool to boost its attractiveness as an international trade hub and gateway to North America, for the great benefit of our importers and exporters as well as the entire logistics and transportation sector” according to Mathieu Charbonneau-Executive Director of Cargo M.

A Foreign Trade Zone is generally a well-defined location in a given country where the purchase or import of raw materials, inputs or finished goods is officially eligible for exemption from customs duties and taxes. Such materials may generally be stored, processed or assembled in the FTZ for re-export (in which case they are not subject to any customs duties or taxes) or for sale on the domestic market (in which case the duties and taxes are deferred until time of sale).

### Update from Grupo Linc



Please update your main contact for Grupo Linc to Gabriel Castillo Blanco. Reymer Arce, the former contact that many of you dealt with, is no longer with Grupo Linc. Please see the below information:

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## Partner Spotlight

### Trinity Shipping Colombo (Pvt) Ltd Sri Lanka



Our mission is to provide professional service, transport solutions and to be always accountable for our decisions, aiming to manage our customers freight in a safe and timely fashion. We treat every shipment as a unique and challenging opportunity, paying close attention to personal details.

Trinity believes in identifying, recognizing and meeting the requirements of customers! We identify and adopt clearly focused market-driven strategies that will consistently meet the quality expectation of our Customers.

We work with customers as partners, arriving at best solutions, providing a continuous stream of Ideas and Innovations to make their business operate more efficiently and profitably thereby building lasting relationships.

It has been our VISION to work with integrity, honesty and commitment, making consistent and fair profits, seeking opportunities for growth. To create an environment that develops, motivates and rewards all employees. Proving 'Trinity's people make the difference'

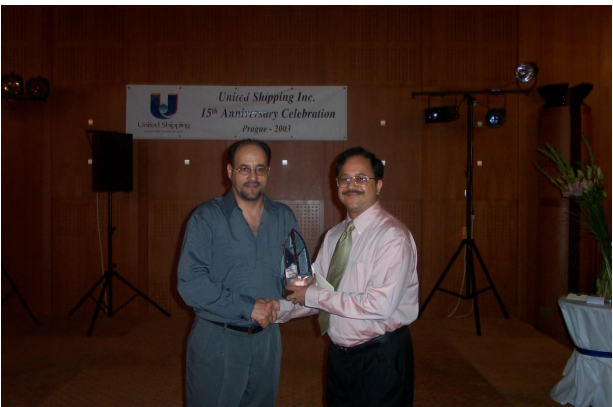
To learn more about Trinity Shipping, check out their [website!](#)

**[Click the photo below to see Trinity's full presentation!](#)**

## TRINITY SHIPPING COLOMBO (PVT) LTD



### *Way Back Wednesday*







## *Industry News*

### [Donald Trump Claims 'Initial' Tariff Deal with Japan](#)

*Click the link above to read the full article*

### [Brexit: No-Deal Dossier Shows Worst-Case Scenario](#)

*Click the link above to read the full article*

### [US-China Deal Hopes Rise — But Big Questions Remain](#)

*Click the link above to read the full article*

**Check Out the United Shipping Website!**



Click above and go straight to the USI website!

**TODAY IS WEDNESDAY**

**WHICH MEANS TOMORROW IS PRE FRIDAY  
WHICH MEANS THE NEXT DAY IS FRIDAY, SO IT'S  
BASICALLY FRIDAY**

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