

Shipping YOUR BIKE to the UK in 2010

READ EVERY BLOODY WORD – SERIOUSLY!

1 January, 2009

As shipping agents Get Routed offer the following shipping service - for 2010 there will be one shipment from Australia – ex Melbourne, ex Sydney & ex Brisbane – all subject to full shipments. If there's not enough bikes to fill a container in your nearest port we will ask you to take your bike to another port for loading. Probably Sydney.

2010 dates

collect your bike in Felixstowe Tuesday 4 May, 2010. 9am – 10am - drop off 9 - 10am Wednesday 7 July, 2010.

For those wanting a **longer stay overseas** we will use the same availability date (Tuesday 4 May) and reload the container on Thursday 5 August. The second return shipment will be subject to demand and will depend upon a minimum of 10 bikes.

There could also be a third return shipment loading on Thursday 9 September. The third return shipment will be subject to demand and will depend upon a minimum of 10 bikes.

Return shipments go to the Aust port when most bikes in that return shipment came from, unless there's enough bikes for a full container to each port.

If your holiday does not match these dates, secure storage is available at the Felixstowe depot – there is now a storage charge. The first week (after unloading) is free and it's £5.00 per bike per week after that. The same applies if you're bringing your bike back to Felixstowe before I load it for the return journey.

STANDARD SIZE bikes (less than 2.3 metres long) **\$3180** Covers most bikes

Long bikes (over 2.30metres long) **\$4570**

PLEASE NOTE: A container is 2.30 metres wide and because we place the bikes across the width, bikes longer than 2.30m attract a higher price. With some long bikes we are able to shorten them by taking out the front wheel, putting the axle back in the forks and loading them the same as the other bikes (with the front axle in a rubber lined steel chock), thus saving you 1390 Beer vouchers. BUT bring your tools and do it yourself, we don't mess with your bike, you do! We will arrange for a forklift to pick up the front of your bike for front wheel removal.

Gold Wings BMW K1200LTs & other very large bikes **\$5350**

The above prices are valid from 1 January 2009 and include the return journey

One way prices Standard Size \$2160, Long bikes \$3375

***** Conditions apply - see Terms & Conditions *****

Cost includes Container hire, sea freight, UK & Australian Customs clearance, Loading and Unloading at both ends.

The above prices do NOT include bike transport to Melbourne, Sydney or Brisbane.

For security reasons we do not advertise the names & addresses of the depots we use.

Each bike is packed securely into a shipping container on it's own individual cradle.

Shipping Insurance. The above prices **INCLUDE SHIPPING INSURANCE.**

Riding Insurance We are in contact with an insurance company who may be able to provide Fully Comprehensive cover for your bike while in the UK & Europe. We will contact them 1 month prior to loading (for a quote for your bike) so that your bike will be covered before Customs Clearance in the UK – Insurance cover is compulsory in the UK and is part of the Clearance process.

Loading date to be advised when the shipment is full. We require your bike approx 4 days prior to the shipping date and shipping Melbourne into Felixstowe takes 33 days. Sydney & Brisbane 3 & 6 days longer. Loading date in March is subject to shipping schedules.

PERSONAL EFFECTS CAN NOT BE CARRIED IN THE CONTAINER – Take riding boots, jackets, helmets ONLY in your Panniers & Top Boxes etc – BUT they must be unlocked and closed with sticky tape so Quarantine can inspect.

Please read this info sheet in conjunction with our Reservation form and Terms and Conditions.

TERMS and CONDITIONS for shipping bikes to and from Felixstowe

Failure to read, understand and act upon these Terms and Conditions could cause you considerable heartache and expense!!

1. Bike Cleanliness. Your bike must be spotless when packed into the container - this is a Quarantine Service requirement **YOU HAVE BEEN WARNED!!**. It is your responsibility to arrange cleaning of your bike prior to the return journey – you will receive info on how and where with the invoice.

2. PETROL TANKS must be empty of fuel. A small amount of fuel (2 litres) in the tank sufficient to get you to the nearest servo is acceptable. Also bikes must be in NEUTRAL and UNLOCKED.

3. All bikes must have their **BATTERY LEADS DISCONNECTED** and **TAPED** prior to shipping in Australia and Felixstowe. **This is your responsibility.**

4. All **Fixed Panniers** must be disconnected from the bike prior to loading, but they will be carried in the container - UNLOCKED. If you leave them locked you will be charged for the time taken to retrieve your keys from you to unload them. We will take all care possible but are not responsible for any damage during shipping so please wrap appropriately. Suggestion - Use 2 layers of plastic Bubble wrap.

5. These prices are valid from 1 January 2009 and are based current freight rates and other cost components at that time. Any cost increases will be passed on when invoices are prepared in January 2010.

6. It is each rider's responsibility to be at the Felixstowe depot on the dates provided.
The Felixstowe DEPOT address will be supplied when your deposit is received.

7. We will organise the Customs clearances, all paperwork and loading/unloading of the container.

8. Your \$600 deposit is NON REFUNDABLE. We may be able to roll it over to a later tour/shipment or refund it if you can encourage someone else to take your place, obviously at the discretion of Get Routed.

9. We require your bike approx 4 days prior to the shipping date and shipment of your bike from Australia is 36 days. You will be advised exact dates and the address to deliver your bike to the Melbourne/Sydney/Brisbane depot when we send the invoice.

10 Bookings will not be accepted without a deposit (\$600) and a completed RESERVATION FORM.

11. The balance of the cost is due not later than 2 months prior to the SHIPPING DATE of your bike. An invoice will be sent.

12. Reservations will not be accepted within 2 months of a shipping date except under exceptional circumstances such as a cancellation.

13. The following will need to be provided to depot staff in Felixstowe to collect your bike, BUT only if Get Routed staff are not in attendance.

- a. A photocopy of the two important pages of your passport.
- b. A photocopy of your bikes Australian Registration papers.

This information is required to ensure no one else has access to your bike in our Felixstowe depot. Without the originals (Passport, Bike rego and your licence) no one can claim your bike.

14. People **unable** to be at the Felixstowe depot between 9am & 10am Tuesday 4 May may be charged an administrative fee of £25 for collection of their bike. Get Routed staff will be there to assist with bike collection at that time and there is no fee payable if Get Routed are in attendance. The same applies when the bikes are required at the depot for reloading prior to the return shipment.

You can ride your bike in the UK/Europe on your Australian Registration plate for up to 6 months (subject to your Aussie rego being current for that time) and using your current Australian licence for up to 3 months. An International Driving Permit (for up to 12 months) is advisable if you're staying beyond 3 months. The IDP is necessary if you're touring Europe because it's really a translation of your Aussie licence.

SHIPPING Bikes to UK/Europe 2010

reservation form

BIKE SHIPPING SPACE RESERVATIONS Photocopies OK and one person/bike per form

July return August return Sept return One way (please circle your preferred option)

Loading port – Brisbane Sydney Melbourne (please circle your preferred option)

Surname..... all names should be as per your passport

First Names.....

Address.....Post Code.....

Phone (Home).....(business).....Email.....

Passport number.....

Deposit \$600

Passport type (Nationality)

Date of Birth...../...../.....

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$

Cheques payable to Get Routed - please.

Bike details: Make.....Model.....Value.....

Rego No..... VIN NUMBER.....

Dimensions: Length.....

Please be accurate with your measuring. If a bike arrives and is in the large category but has been paid for at the lower rate it will not be shipped unless the difference is paid.

I the undersigned have **read and understood the Terms and Conditions of this service.** I am authorised to accept the terms and conditions on behalf of the person listed above. I agree to pay any outstanding balance no later than 2 months prior to shipping date or Get Routed will consider this booking cancelled.

Please find enclosed payment of \$..... being a deposit/full amount

SIGNED

Please mail this reservation form together with your cheque for the above amount to:

Get Routed, P.O. Box 167, Moonee Ponds, VICTORIA 3039, AUSTRALIA.

please keep a copy of your completed Reservation form and the Terms & Conditions

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Get Routed (ABN 98 055 447 869)
Motorcycle Shippers to NZ,UK & USA - Isle of Man TT & NZ Tour specialists

Get Routed would much prefer that you pay by cheque – Bank cheque, Personal cheque or Aus Post Money Order, but if you insist on paying by credit card there will be a 2% processing fee added.

Get Routed Credit Card payment authorisation

Card Type: VISA Mastercard We are unable to process AMEX cards.

Card Number: _____

Expiry date: _____

Name on Card: _____

Authorisation signature: _____ Amount: \$.....

Please note: In the interests of recouping the 2% bank fee we will add 2% to all VISA, Bankcard & Mastercard CC payments

Electronic payments can be made to:

Account name: Get Routed

Account Number: 117913962

BSB Number: 633-000

Please use your name and initials as the reference.

Payment by Direct Debit from your account into ours.

If you choose this method of payment for deposits or balance of payment for one of our shipping services, please make bloody sure you or your bank use your name as a reference on the payment slip. Because when our bank statement comes in if it don't have your name on it we can't credit your account with that amount and if that happens we will assume you've not paid the deposit/balance of payment.

We have HAD several of these hassles and they are a right PITA, which take hours to sort out. Because of the Privacy act we must make application to our bank to ascertain from whom that money came.

From now on (as of 1 July, 2007) it's your responsibility to ensure the name is on the reference. No name on our bank statement, you still owe us the money.