




Common Issues of International Transport & Logistics Operation

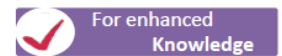
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Through practical case scenarios to answer the questions listed below, participants will have a better understanding of how international trade operates; some common logistics problems encountered; and ways to tackle them.

1. What are the differences between a forwarder cargo receipt and a bill of lading? Can these transport documents protect shippers' benefits? Can a shipper transfer FCR to other parties or treat it as a negotiable document? Can a carrier release the cargo to a consignee against the FCR copy?
2. If the originals have not yet arrived but the bill of lading shows details of the named consignee, can the consignee collect the cargo by presenting a copy of the straight bill of lading in case of urgency?
3. If a carrier releases the cargoes against the copy of straight B/L, will the courts in the US and HK claim the carrier to be liable in this case?
4. What is the amount limitation on the cargo claims for sea and air carriers? In which scenario would the amount limitation be inapplicable and the cargo interest can claim the actual loss? Can the cargo interest use the claim amount to set off the freight payment under freight collect shipment?
5. What is the time limitation on legal proceedings if the cargo interest takes legal action against the carrier? How does the PRC maritime law interpret this time limitation clause? Are there any differences between the PRC maritime law and the international maritime law?
6. If a carrier charges a consignee for general average expenses when collecting the cargoes from a terminal, can the consignee reject to pay? Are there any amount limitations on these charges? What sort of action will the carrier take if the consignee rejects to settle these charges?
7. Can cargo interests pursue the carrier for all economic losses from cargo damage?
8. Case sharing and understanding the reasons for success and failure claims.



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