



Operator Responsible for the Load (TRACES / TRACESNT / IPAFFS)

Where Montgomery Transport Ireland Ltd. ("MTIL") agrees, at the request of a customer, to act as the *Operator Responsible for the Load* within the Trade Control and Expert System (TRACES / TRACESNT) or the UK's Import of Products, Animals, Food and Feed System (IPAFFS), the following terms shall apply:

1. The customer remains fully liable for all regulatory obligations associated with the goods in question.
2. The customer shall indemnify and hold harmless MTIL from and against all costs, expenses, penalties, liabilities, and charges incurred by MTIL in acting as the Operator Responsible for the Load.
3. The customer agrees to reimburse MTIL for such costs, expenses, and charges in full, without deduction or set-off, within fourteen (14) days of a written request for payment.
4. MTIL's agreement to act as the Operator Responsible for the Load does not transfer any underlying responsibility for compliance with applicable laws, which remains solely with the customer.

Jurisdiction

- In respect of TRACES / TRACESNT, these terms are governed by Irish law and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Irish courts.
- In respect of IPAFFS, these terms are governed by the laws of England and Wales and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.