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October 8th 2021 NEWSLETTER

Dear Clients, Partners and Friends,
we like to update you regularly on the day-to-day situation.

1. Federal Elections & Curfew

On Oct 10th 2021 elections to the Federal Parliament will take place.

The security authorities have announced a kind of curfew all over the country. Traveling between the major Cities is not allowed during this period. Truck movements are only permitted for dedicated goods e.g. fuel, foodstuff but regular truck movements are not possible from Oct 9th till Oct 11th 2021.

2. Closing of Airports

With regard to the Federal Elections, the Council of Ministers has decided to close the Iraqi International Airports (Baghdad, Najaf, Basra, Erbil and Suleimaniyah) from Oct 9th 21.00 hrs till Oct 11th 06.00 hrs local time.

3. DEL & TEL Cancellation

Still the situation of the DEL & TEL has not been solved. Therefore, still delayed in the customs clearing occur due to missing tax and duty exemption approvals.

4. Iraqi Seaports

Umm Qassr Port will officially be closed from Saturday (09.10.2021) till Monday (11.10.2021). No vessels will be allowed to enter to the port and no cargo operation will take place.

5. Ibrahim Khalil Border

Ibrahim Khalil Border is scheduled to work normally except Monday 11.10.2021 we expect closure of the border and delay in clearance process.

6. Trebil Border

Trebil border will be closed during Election period from Saturday till Monday (09.10. – 11.10.2021).

Please feel free to contact us in case of any specific question and please stay safe and healthy.

Yours sincerely,

M.G. International Transports

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