



# **IMPORTING YOUR BIKE INTO THE UK**

Motorbikes being shipped to the UK are subject to Customs clearance, security screening and Dangerous Goods procedures, which all take time to process.

Shipping a motorbike into the UK involves a Customs requirement for which you will need the assistance of a Freight Forwarder.

Prior to travelling to the airport to collect your bike, a Customs clearance needs to be prearranged. Many Forwarders do not work weekends so it is important that your Forwarder knows in advance your intended pick up schedule.

The following UK Forwarders can assist you on request and can be contacted for help:

#### London Heathrow

- ECX Global Logistics Tel: 0208 634 5935 email: Ops.LHR@ecxuk.com
- Moto Freight, Tel: 01784 436373 email: info@motofreight.com

#### Manchester

• James Cargo Services, Tel: 0161 946 1339 email: Eng@Jamescargo.com

#### Edinburgh /Glasgow

Extraordinaire, Tel: 0131 317 7277 email: <u>Operations@Extraordinair.co.uk</u>

Work completed by Forwarders on your behalf is subject to a fee which they will quote on request and collect from you prior to bike collection. Motorcycles imported into the UK are also subject to an Import Handling Fee of 15 pence per Kg (Minimum of 34 GBP). This will be collected by the airline staff at time of bike pick-up

## **EXPORTING YOUR BIKE FROM THE UK**

Motorbikes being exported are subject to Dangerous Goods checks, security screening and Customs Clearance. Motorcycles should be tendered with the fuel tank less than 25% full and a set of keys must be left with the bike and any electronic alarm disabled.

Some form of paper value declaration/packing list needs to be handed to Air Canada Cargo for the export Customs entry.

Export Fees (Included in the fixed rate)

Handling Fee Dangerous Goods Paperwork/check fee Security Screening 10 pence per Kg (Minimum 22.00 pounds) 41.50 pounds 0.15 pence per Kg ( Minimum 25.00 pounds)

### CONTACT

Further information on shipping into and out of the UK can be obtained from <u>LHRCustomerservice@aircanada.ca</u> or 0371 2243600

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