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SVITZER AUSTRALIA ANNUAL PUBLIC TARIFF REVIEW [EFFECTIVE FROM 1 APRIL 2026]

Dear valued customer,

I am writing to inform you about the upcoming adjustments to **Svitzer Australia's public tariff rates, effective from 1 April 2026.**

The tariff adjustment for 2026 represents an average increase of 3.98%. This increase may vary by port location and licence regime.

This adjustment reflects ongoing increases across several key cost categories required to safely operate and maintain our fleet, while also reflecting the stabilisation of certain input costs compared with recent years.

Key factors contributing to this adjustment include:

- **Crew wages:** Increases in line with CPI-linked enterprise agreements, which remain the largest component of operating costs
- **Vessel docking and maintenance:** Although costs have moderated compared with recent years, docking costs have increased ~8%
- **Landside leases and property costs:** Above CPI rises in cost (~4%)
- **Supplier costs and OEM machinery costs:** Above CPI rises in cost (5%)
- **Insurance premiums:** Svitzer's premiums have increased 6%

While we have seen increased costs across our operations, we continue to focus on operational efficiency and disciplined cost management across the business – enabling us to limit the overall impact on customers while maintaining service reliability, safety and fleet capability.

We remain committed to providing safe, reliable and efficient towage and marine services that support the continuity of port operations and Australia's trade supply chains.

A full schedule of the updated rates will be available on our website.

Vessel owners and operators are welcome to discuss the benefits of direct towage agreements with Svitzer and the opportunity to tailor arrangements to operational requirements.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or a member of the Svitzer Commercial team should you wish to discuss the review further.

We appreciate the opportunity to support your operations and look forward to continuing our partnership in 2026.

Sincerely,



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