

BREXIT-HANDLING

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SERVICE SPECIFICATIONS

After the United Kingdom left the European Union on January 1, 2020, the trade policies that applied in the past are expected to¹ expire on December 31, 2020. The following conditions will apply starting on January 1, 2021, provided that the current transition period, a time in which the past trade policies remain in force, is not extended:

- A **“Brexit handling”** surcharge will apply per item:
 - To all shipments to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands.
 - To all returns from the United Kingdom.

REQUIREMENTS

- **The end** of the previous legal framework and trade relationships following the withdrawal **of the United Kingdom from the European Union**.
- Parcel shipments to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands and returns from the United Kingdom.
- For shipments to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands, the sender will have to provide **the necessary customs-clearance documentation written in English and electronic shipment-related data**.
- Details can be found in the DHL Paket service specifications, “International Services” section: “Customs clearance.”

APPLIED TO

- DHL Paket International
- DHL Retoure International
- DHL Europaket

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- Calculation of the surcharge **for every parcel shipment** to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands and returns from the United Kingdom.
- Neither the surcharge nor the requirements that apply to electronic shipment-related data and customs-clearance documents for shipments to the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands or to returns from the United Kingdom **will take effect if the United Kingdom and the European Union** extend the legal framework and their previous trade policies and the operative transport of shipments remains unchanged.
- **Product-specific surcharge; not subject to discounts**

¹ The past trade policies involve the legal and trade framework that defined the United Kingdom’s relationships until its withdrawal from the EU and the subsequent transition period (February 1 - December 31, 2020).