

CUSTOMER ADVISORY Conditions Unchanged At Shanghai Airport, But Backlogs Expected to Resolve In Coming Weeks

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Local KWE branches report that the enhanced quarantine measures for staff and airlines at Shanghai-Pudong International Airport (PVG) remain in effect; passenger-freighter services are still banned, and some charter flight permissions have been postponed until further notice.

Airline schedules are still unreliable—the shortage of cargo handlers and the newly introduced disinfection protocol has slowed ground operations significantly, raising potential for off-loaded cargo.

However, long-term backlogs for outbound shipments to Japan expect to be resolved by the end of the week as more charters are secured to increase capacity. Alternate transport modes and routings are also available for intra-Asia, US, and Europe destinations although lead-times run a minimum of seven days to uplift—up to ten days for exports to Japan.

Updates will be published as soon as they are available; affected clients should contact their KWE global account manager or a local KWE representative for more information.

