



# UMBRELLA FREIGHT NETWORK

## GROUP MEETING 2026

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**24 June 2026**

 **Sydney, Australia – 10:00 PM**

 **Singapore – 8:00 PM**

 **Bangkok, Thailand – 7:00 PM**

 **Mumbai, India – 6:30 PM**

 **Dubai, UAE – 4:00 PM**

 **Istanbul, Türkiye – 3:00 PM**

 **Amsterdam, Netherlands – 2:00 PM**

 **London, United Kingdom – 1:00 PM**

 **Toronto, Canada – 8:00 AM**

 **Texas, USA (CDT) – 7:00 AM**

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# WELCOME

Welcome to the Umbrella Freight Network Virtual AGM 2026. Although this year's AGM is taking place online rather than in person, the purpose remains exactly the same — bringing together trusted freight forwarders from around the world to strengthen relationships, create new opportunities, and continue building the close-knit Umbrella community that makes our network unique.

The decision to postpone the physical AGM was not made lightly. Due to the ongoing uncertainty in the Middle East, rising fuel prices, increased airline ticket costs, and concerns surrounding the safety and reliability of certain international travel routes and major airport hubs, we felt it was important to place the safety and financial wellbeing of our members first.

Rather than skipping a year entirely, we believed it was important to still connect as a network, share ideas, discuss future growth, and maintain the strong friendships and partnerships that Umbrella has built over the years. This virtual format also allows additional staff members, who may not normally travel to the AGM, to experience the Umbrella spirit and participate in discussions.

Thank you to all our members, sponsors, committee members, and supporters for continuing to help Umbrella grow from strength to strength. We look forward to an engaging and productive Virtual AGM and cannot wait to see everyone again in person at the next full AGM.



# MEETING AGENDA



## Member Engagement & Development

Discussion regarding ways to improve communication, interaction, and collaboration between members throughout the year. This includes networking opportunities, member participation, visibility within the network, and ideas to strengthen the close-knit Umbrella community.



## Survey Results

Review of the survey responses submitted by members. This section will help identify areas of success, possible improvements, member expectations, and future opportunities for Umbrella Freight Network.



## Future Growth & Membership Strategy

Discussion regarding the future direction of Umbrella's growth strategy. Should the network continue to grow exclusively through trusted member recommendations, or should Umbrella begin proactively identifying and approaching carefully selected agents online to accelerate growth while maintaining quality and exclusivity?

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# SURVEY



**1. Overall, how satisfied are you with your membership in Umbrella Freight Network?**



**2. What do you believe are the biggest strengths of Umbrella Freight Network?**



**3. What areas do you believe Umbrella Freight Network needs to improve?**



**4. How satisfied are you with the level of communication from Umbrella Freight Network?**



**5. What type of communication would you like to see more often?**



**6. Have you gained business opportunities through Umbrella Freight Network?**



**7. What can Umbrella Freight Network do to help members generate more business opportunities?**



**8. How important is the exclusivity model (limited members per country) to you?**



**9. What would make you more engaged or involved within the network?**



**10. Do you have any additional suggestions, comments, or ideas that could help improve Umbrella Freight Network?**



**11. Are there countries you miss a representative agent within Umbrella Freight Network?**



**12. Do you have any ideas or suggestions on how Umbrella Freight Network can improve member growth and expand into new countries or markets?**

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# COMMITTEE



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