



GKN Freight Services Information Bulletin

Ferry sailings between Dover and Calais cancelled for 24 hours

Ferry sailings between Dover and Calais have been cancelled for 24 hours due to a strike by port control officers in France. Calais was closed on Wednesday 15th October at 0720 BST with both Sea France and P&O halting services.

Norfolk Line will still operate sailings from Dover to Dunkerque. Sailings from Ramsgate will also be unaffected.

Ferry traffic will be unable to berth at either the ports of Calais or Boulogne and UK vehicles will be temporarily held on the M20. Motorists have been warned to expect serious freight and traffic delays in Kent with the strike bringing the M20 coastbound to a standstill.

Eurotunnel will continue to take freight and people who have already secured bookings, although services are still restricted following the fire in September.

GKN Freight Services are monitoring the situation and are working to minimise the disruption that this may cause to our service. We will keep you informed of any further developments. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

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