

BROKERS WORLDWIDE NEWSFLASH

Brazilian Post Strike Enters 3rd Week
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Brokers Worldwide has been informed that an operational strike, which began at the Brazilian Post on July 1, 2008, is still in effect as of today. More than 17 million mail items are reportedly backlogged in the ECT (Brazilian Post) warehouses. ECT has indicated that only 12% of their letter carriers are on strike; however, the postal syndicate, FENTEC, claims that closer to 75% of carriers are involved in the protest. Mail delivery delays can be expected as the strike continues. The Brazilian Post has expressed that it will do its utmost to restore normal service as soon as possible.

Brokers Worldwide Customers

During the strike, Brokers Worldwide will continue to collect Brazilian-bound mail from our customers. Although the mail will reach Brazil in the same amount of time as before, mail services within Brazil will be subject to delay as the Brazilian Post handles the backlog. Brokers Worldwide will continue to monitor this situation, and will provide our customers with updates as they become available.

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