

Number : 2518

Subject : Waiting for meal- and oil deliveries

To : Fishermen, Norwegian and foreign buyers of pelagic raw material for meal & oil purpose

Place : Bergen

Date : 06. June 2018

We will like to remind you of the following from the Sales Regulations for Raw Materials for fishmeal and -oil, number 3.8 and 3.9:

- 3.8 Binding bids: The highest bid shall be accepted as the winning bid if the Buyer's notified waiting time for unloading does not exceed 12 hours. If unloading cannot commence **within 12 hours of arrival at the facility/plant**, the Fisherman is permitted to accept a lower bid if this offers earlier unloading.
- 3.9 The Buyer must commence unloading of the vessel as soon as possible and not later than 24 hours after arrival at the facility/plant. Except in special situations, vessels obliged to wait longer than 24 hours shall be paid the bid price without any deduction for quality impairments. Large volumes of raw materials in periods of intensive fishing may entail additional waiting. If the vessel fails to arrive at the facility by approximately the specified time, and the delay is not due to weather conditions, a longer wait must be expected and the vessel may forfeit its unloading turn. If a vessel is delayed by more than 24 hours in relation to the specified arrival time, the Buyer has the right to cancel the purchase.

We also want to remind you that the new Revenue Provisions for 2018 is in progress. The 2017 edition can be found here;

<https://www.sildelaget.no/media/172662074/special-sales-regulations-applicable-to-raw-material-used-for-fishmeal-and-oil.pdf>

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