## Standard Form for Presentation of Loss and Damage Claim

Mail	Old Dominion Fr	eight Line, Inc	EMAIL CLAIMS TO:	Date:		
То:	500 Old Dominion Way Thomasville, NC 27360		Claims@odfl.com	Fax: 336-822-5494 or 336-822-5010		
This clai	im for \$	is made a	gainst your company for:			
	□ Shortage □	☐ Noted Damage	□ Concealed Damage	☐ Theft	□ Other	
Shipper	:		Consignee:		<u></u>	
Date of	Bill of Lading:		Date of Delivery:			
Pro or W	Vaybill Number:			/:-		
	Detailed Sta	tement Showing	How Amount of Claim is D	(if application of the control of th	able)	
(Numbe	er and description o	f articles, nature a	and extent of loss or damage NT and ALLOWANCES MUS	invoice price of a	rticles,	
			TOTAL AMOUNT CLAIME	D:		
			mitted in support of this claim	<u>.</u>		
Г	☐ Original Bill of La	ading	☐ Original invoice of goods (REQUIRED) and repair			
[	☐ Original Delivery	<sup>,</sup> Receipt	or replacement invoice(s), if applicable  ☐ Other supporting documents			
Compar	ny Name:		Remit to (if differen	t):		
Attention:			Attention:			
Mailing Address:			Mailing Address:			
City/State/ZIP:			City/State/ZIP:	City/State/ZIP:		
Telephone Number:			Signature:	Signature:		
FAX Nu	mber:		Email:	Email:		
emailed		ldress above. An	our claim to the email address y questions, please contact t 5569			

You have nine (9) months from the date of delivery to file a claim. Old Dominion has 30 days to acknowledge a claim in writing and 120 days to process. Please be patient during this time.

By submitting this claim, you acknowledge that the subject shipment above is governed by the terms and conditions of Old Dominion Freight Line, Inc.'s applicable tariff(s), available upon request and at www.odfl.com/tools/OD\_Rules.html.

## **Claim Filing Instructions**

## \*Do not return this sheet with claim\*

- 1. Customers have nine (9) months from the date of delivery in which to file a claim.
- 2. Carriers have 30 days in which to acknowledge a claim.
- 3. Carriers have 120 days to process a claim to conclusion, by payment or denial.
- 4. A written request for payment asserting carrier liability for alleged loss or damage containing facts sufficient to identify the shipment will constitute a claim.
- 5. A proper claim consists of:
  - A statement of the amount you seek in reimbursement.
  - Your copy of the carrier's Freight Bill (referred to as Waybill).
  - The shipper's INVOICE or a certified copy of it.
- 6. A proper loss claim consists of:
  - All documents listed in #5 above.
  - Original Bill of Lading.
- 7. If damage is found after delivery, request for inspection should be made to our local office in or nearest your city within 5 business days after delivery. Original packaging MUST be available. Should inspection not be performed within five working days, the request should be confirmed in WRITING for your protection in the event the Inspection is never made.
- 8. An INSPECTION REPORT does not serve as a CLAIM. It is not an acknowledgment of liability of the carrier. You must comply with #4.
- 9. In cases of CONCEALED DAMAGE, the burden of proving carrier responsibility rests with the claimant, by showing evidence that the damage did not occur prior to acceptance of the freight by the carrier or after delivery by the carrier.
- 10. In the event of damage, it is the consignee's responsibility to reduce the carrier's loss inany way possible. The permission is needed from the carrier to effectrepairs, whenpossible, provided such action does reduce loss.
- 11. Quite often the loss or damage is the responsibility of our connecting carriers. By regulations, we cannot pay such a claim until authority is secured from that connecting carrier.
- 12. Please do not dispose of damaged merchandise until claim has been concluded.