

United International Removals Reveals Cost-Saving Strategies for Moving to New Zealand

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United International Removals has released new guidance detailing the most cost-effective shipping methods for UK residents relocating to New Zealand, addressing growing demand for transparent pricing and timing information in the international removals sector.

The Wigan-based international removals specialist has outlined two primary shipping options that can significantly impact relocation budgets, with potential savings ranging from £2,000 to £4,000 depending on the approach chosen. The guidance comes as more UK families and professionals consider New Zealand for career opportunities and lifestyle changes.

The company's analysis highlights shared container shipping, also known as groupage, as a solution for smaller relocations where customers pay only for the space they use. This option typically suits individuals or couples moving selected belongings rather than entire households. Alternatively, dedicated container shipping provides sole use of either a 20-foot or 40-foot container, offering maximum security and faster

transit times for full household moves.

"The choice between shared and dedicated containers can make a substantial difference to both the timeline and total cost of relocating to New Zealand," said Ross Dunlevy, Managing Director at United International Removals. "While a dedicated container requires higher upfront investment, typically £7,000 to £9,000, many families find it more economical than replacing furniture and appliances in New Zealand, where prices for household goods can be considerably higher than in the UK."

Shared container services generally take 8 to 12 weeks for delivery, with costs starting from £1,530 for smaller shipments. This method consolidates multiple customers' belongings in a single container, reducing individual shipping costs while maintaining secure handling throughout the journey. The service includes professional packing, customs documentation, and delivery to the final destination.

Dedicated container options provide faster transit times of 6 to 9 weeks and eliminate concerns about belongings being mixed with other shipments. This method particularly benefits families relocating entire households, as the exclusive use of a container allows for transporting larger furniture items, appliances, and personal vehicles when required.

The company's comprehensive service for moving to New Zealand encompasses initial video surveys or home assessments, professional packing crews, quality packing materials, customs clearance assistance, and coordination with local delivery teams. Each customer receives a dedicated Move Coordinator who manages the entire relocation process, from initial planning through final delivery.

Beyond the primary shipping methods, United International Removals offers air freight services for urgent or high-value items, with delivery times of 7 to 15 days. The company also provides flexible storage solutions in both the UK and New Zealand, accommodating customers who need temporary storage during their transition period.

United International Removals specializes in international household relocations from the UK to destinations worldwide. The company operates from its Wigan depot, providing door-to-door removal services that include comprehensive packing, shipping, customs clearance, and delivery coordination. With established partnerships with leading international shipping lines, the company serves migrants, expatriates, students, and professionals relocating for work opportunities across global destinations including Australia, Canada, Hong Kong, Singapore, South Africa, Dubai, and the United States. Learn more at the United International Removals website, and check out more updates on the United International Removals Facebook page.
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