GAC Kuwait

Global reach. Local expertise.



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GAC Kuwait

Established in 1956 as a shipping agent to handle vessels at Kuwait's major ports, GAC Kuwait has developed extensive expertise and local knowledge to become one of the leading shipping and forwarding agents in the country today.

Backed by a strong tradition of entrepreneurship, we have built a comprehensive portfolio of shipping and logistics services. GAC Kuwait is dedicated to delivering excellent services at highly competitive rates.

Strong team of dedicated professionals

Staffed by our team of more than 100 professionals, GAC Kuwait continues to grow. Every member is highly experienced in their area of expertise. They speak the local language – be it of commerce, culture or customs – and allow us to combine international experience with local expertise to deliver outstanding service.

Commitment to quality

We apply high international standards to local services, in line with our commitment to continuous quality improvement. GAC Kuwait was ISO 9002 certified by DNV in September 1997, and the company further achieved 9001:2000 certification in December 2003.

Advanced technology

GAC makes significant and ongoing investments in information technology to ensure that all systems are in place to provide customers and Principals with the efficient service they expect. In this respect, the Group has developed state-of-the-art IT solutions, which are tailor-made for specific business operations and administration needs.

For reliable and efficient communications worldwide, GAC uses sophisticated systems including satellite and voice-over-internet facilities, in addition to email, EDI, phone and fax.





Whether you need specialised shipping or logistics services, GAC Kuwait has the local expertise and resources to meet your requirements.



Shipping Services

GAC Kuwait provides a comprehensive range of shipping services for any type of port call.

Ship agency

We offer a complete range of agency services including canvassing and marketing, port handling and documentation, supervision, stevedoring, brokerage and slops removal services amongst others.

In our capacity as ship agent, GAC Kuwait represents international shipping lines and tramp vessel owners in handling various types of cargo ranging from containers, Ro-Ro cargo and breakbulk, to liquid and dry bulks, heavy lift, project cargo and offshore projects.

In particular, we have established a track record in acting as full agents for container lines. Our specialised services for handling bulk cargoes at Kuwait's two dry ports, Shuwaikh and Shuaiba, are specially geared to the needs of today's liner, tanker and tramp vessels.

All oil exports from Kuwait are handled by state agent Minatank. Leveraging our excellent relationship with Minatank, we are able to serve as owner's representative for any tanker Principal. We also act as owner's representative / OPA within the state oil ports, namely Mina Al Ahmadi, Mina Abdulla and Shuaiba product pier. GAC Kuwait also acts as agents for tankers calling at Mina Saud.

Crew changes

Arriving and departing crew members are taken care of by our "Meet & Greet" service team. We also arrange for transfer of crew to-and-fro the airport / hotel / port / vessel including hotel accommodation and flight tickets.

Offshore project services

Backed by extensive expertise and experience in marine and offshore support, GAC Kuwait offers a full range of agency services for offshore projects such as cable laying, seismic surveys, pipe laying etc.

P&I services

Representing 11 of the 13 International P&I Clubs in Kuwait, Principals know that they can count on GAC during any emergency. We also represent major medical insurance service providers by assisting in providing medical assistance and repatriation arrangements for the sick and injured.

Information services

GAC provides current and precise information via Hot Port News – the Group's free daily news bulletin on ports worldwide. In addition, GAC Kuwait also provides more specific reports about the situation in-country, on request.







Backed by over 50 years of experience, GAC Kuwait has developed extensive experience in handling all types of vessels.



Logistics Services

Combining our in-depth local knowledge and GAC Group's worldwide network, GAC Kuwait today offers a truly one-stop shop for all supply chain and logistics needs.

Local logistics services

We operate full domestic services including customs clearance, haulage, transit clearance and packing / crating. GAC Kuwait has a solid track record in offering reliable freight management services. Currently, we are the exclusive logistics partner for several multinational companies from diverse sectors ranging from FMCGs to cement and chemical products.

Air freight

GAC Kuwait offers air export services to destinations worldwide. All services are executed under strict IATA approved conditions. Our substantial volumes and buying power, combined with strong relationships with the world's premier carriers, enable customers to benefit from favourable rates and gain priority access to capacity even during peak times.

Consolidation services

GAC Kuwait offers a complete range of international ocean forwarding services. We also operate air consolidation services. The two services offer consolidation for cargo plying the routes between Europe, the Americas, Middle East and Asia. Today, GAC is the leading consolidator into the Gulf, having weekly departures from 70 locations worldwide.

Project cargo

Backed by a solid track record in developing and executing complex project cargo solutions, GAC Kuwait has vast experience in co-ordinating any type of project cargo movement by air, land or sea.

From moving massive steel frame to delicate turbine engines, we provide the skills and strength that guarantee safe and timely delivery.

Utilising a wide range of specialised equipment, we can manage any sized project from a single domestic delivery to a complex, multi-shipment and multi-modal project.

Today, our project cargo clients come from diverse sectors such as oil & gas, pulp & paper, automotive, construction, power & energy as well as aid cargo.

Warehousing and distribution

Our two warehousing facilities, strategically located in Shuwaikh and the Kuwait Free Trade Zone, provide both cool and ambient storage services. The facilities are ideal for companies seeking efficient supply chain management capabilities without having to make sizeable investments.

Leveraging GAC's web-enabled inventory management system and ISO certified processes, we meet the warehousing and

distribution needs of our customers while they concentrate on their core capabilities. Equipped with advanced security systems, customers know that their inventory stored in our facilities is in safe hands.

Marine logistics

GAC Marine Logistics (GML) provides highly specialised doorto-deck delivery service for ship spares and marine parts. With flexibility in a range of transport options and seamless time-definite delivery, GML meets the needs of ship owners, managers and spares suppliers for cost and time efficiency.

Local and International moving

GAC International Moving has been helping companies move personnel into and out of the Middle East for more than 30 years, and is a registered member of the world's leading international moving associations.

We offer a full range of services for any relocation needs, including transportation services for local or global moving, corporate moving, commercial / industrial relocation and storage facilities with 24-hour security. Our comprehensive range of door-to-door delivery services encompass detailed survey reports, expert packing / crating, full insurance package and efficient forwarding.







Specialist in shipping, logistics, marine and related services

GAC is a global provider of shipping, logistics and marine services. These services are constantly being refined and integrated to serve our customers' increasing need for competitive solutions. Emphasising trust, reliability and a strong human touch, GAC has been building its reputation in its chosen markets since 1956.

Headquartered in Dubai, GAC employs over 9,000 people in more than 300 offices worldwide.

What makes GAC Kuwait special?

- Complete portfolio of shipping and logistics services
- Over five decades of local experience
- Professional and experienced team
- Comprehensive coverage
- Outstanding track record with excellent references
- 24/7 operations
- ISO and quality management system compliant

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