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Dear Valued Customer,

CPI Price Adjustment Notification – Effective 18 March 2026

Ongoing volatility across global chemical supply chains continues to place pressure on raw material, energy and logistics costs. Recent geopolitical developments in the Middle East are also contributing to further disruption across global supply and freight markets.

Able Westchem will implement a price adjustment aligned with the latest published Consumer Price Index (CPI). Effective **18 March 2026**, a **3.8% increase** will be applied to all product pricing & service charges, including contracted rates. This CPI adjustment excludes freight charges.

While this adjustment reflects the current CPI movement, broader industrial cost pressures across raw materials, energy and logistics continue to exceed general CPI levels. Despite this, we are maintaining the CPI-linked adjustment at this stage to support continuity of supply and minimise disruption for our customers. However, as CPI movements may not fully reflect underlying industry cost pressures, Able Westchem reserves the right to review pricing should supplier, freight or energy costs materially change.

Freight charges are reviewed separately. Please refer to our updated **‘Metro Area’ freight schedule** here: <https://www.westchem.com.au/account-holders-terms/>

We appreciate your continued partnership and remain committed to maintaining reliable supply and service.

Please contact your Account Manager, should you require any further information.

Kind regards,

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