

## **Electric Vehicle (EV) Checklist**

The following information should be provided by Customer and will be checked by Shipping Lines, Transporters and/or Port Authorities before accepting the EV's for transportation: Handling Instructions (start/stop procedure, location of isolation switch if available, procedure to be implemented to minimize battery discharge during transportation etc.) History of repair undertaken on the high voltage battery, or any other previous battery damage must be declared, and authorised by Shipping Line for loading. A minimum 24hr time span is required between the completion of repair and the loading. Location of Auxiliary Battery, which is used for jump starting the vehicles including providing power supply to controls, if required. **Emergency Contact List** for technical support in transhipment/discharging ports. Towing Procedure approved by manufacturer in case battery drained. MIN/MAX State of Charge (SOC) recommended by manufacturer for marine transportation. The lower end of SOC should ensure enough charge for loading, discharging operations including transhipment port if any and battery self-drain during waiting time in port. The highest allowed SOC should not exceed 50% in relation to the full maximum energy capacity (kWh) of the battery. Based on the advice from battery experts the risk of that a battery goes into state of thermal runaway is considerably reduced when the SOC is below 50%. If Customer requests upper end of SOC over 50%, the Customer should provide reason why this cargo requires SOC over 50%. Average Daily Battery Drain during transportation. If portable generator can be used for charging the vehicle: Recommended generator's specification. Cars' plug type and/or original charger socket type. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for the batteries including details of firefighting measures, gas control processes and any necessary PPE for heat, flame, and/or toxic gas which may be emitted from the vehicle. Certificate confirming that all vehicles with a lithium-ion battery, have successfully passed pressure,

temperature, crush, and impact tests as described in the UN 38.3 code.