

## **OSD General Guidelines**

## Tips for Consignee when Taking Delivery:

- **Do Not Sign** the Delivery Receipt (POD) until you have <u>inspected the freight</u>! The consignee has the right to inspect and count the freight before signing the POD/electronic device and releasing the driver.
  - Note specifics on POD of how much, and what specific unit(s) is damaged/short.
  - Do Not sign "Subject to Inspection" this will not be valid for a claim.
  - Ensure the driver signs POD acknowledging damage/shortage.
  - Note discrepancies in the packaging, especially if shrink-wrap is torn, missing, or suggests the product was repackaged.
- If you see damage or a shortage **take numerous Pictures**! Pictures should show damage to the <u>product</u> (wide and close-up images). Damage to packaging only does not constitute reimbursement.
  - Show damaged freight on delivering truck if possible.
  - o Interior and exterior of cartons; crate or skid condition.
  - Clear images of the Shipping Label, and Serial Number Plates (if applicable) detailing the Model and HU numbers.