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### **Rex lifts fuel surcharge**

Regional Express (Rex) lifted its fuel surcharge by \$4 on Wednesday to \$44 per sector.

Rex general manager, network strategy and sales, Warrick Lodge said with the price hitting US\$140 per barrel the company had to ensure partial cost recovery. "However, even in the face of record fuel costs, through the tremendous efficiency gains we have achieved over six years, Rex has lowered the average ticket price inclusive of the fuel levy by more than 15pc and when excluding the fuel levy the average ticket price has fallen by more than 30pc," he said.