

In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful



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To:

All Port Directors-General
All Maritime Agents

Subject: Receiving containers in the storage yards of the shipping line or contracting companies.

Since the Saudi Ports Authority is keen on ensuring a continuous and highly-effective operation of ports and flow of goods, without delay or interruption or accumulation of containers.

And since many complaints have been received from the relevant authorities about the flow of work with respect to receiving and delivering containers in storage yards.

Accordingly, the Saudi Ports Authority stresses the need to adhere to what is stated in the Regulations for Maritime Agents, regarding the receipt and delivery of containers in storage yards, with an emphasis that it is your responsibility - on behalf of the shipping line - to provide storage yards or contract with the operators of storage yards that cover the volume of work and enable you to ensure continuity of handling without any delay, congestion, or disruption of the logistics process.

For approval and taking the necessary procedures for implementation, noting that the Authority will not hesitate to take legal procedures regarding non-compliance with this Circular.

Vice President for Policies and Legislation

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