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GUIDELINES ON THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL PERMIT TO CARRY DANGEROUS/HAZARDOUS CARGOES OR GOODS IN PACKAGED FORM

Pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order No. 125, as amended, the following guidelines shall govern the carriage of dangerous/hazardous cargoes or goods in packaged form.

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Objective

This Memorandum Circular shall prescribe the guidelines and procedures for the issuance of Special Permit to vessels carrying dangerous/hazardous cargoes/goods in packaged form.

II

Coverage

This Circular covers all vessels registered/documented for operation within Philippine waters carrying dangerous/hazardous cargoes/goods between/among Philippine ports.

III

Classification of Dangerous/Hazardous Cargoes/Goods

For purposes of this Circular, dangerous/hazardous cargoes/goods are those defined/classified under the International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code as follows:

1. Class 1 - Explosives
2. Class 2 - Gases; compressed, liquified, or dissolved under pressure
3. Class 3 - Inflammable liquid
4. Class 4 - Inflammable solids or substances
 - 4.1 - Inflammable Solids
 - 4.2 - Inflammable Solids, or Substances liable to spontaneous combustion
 - 4.3 - Inflammable solids, or substances which in contact with water emit inflammable gases
5. Class 5 - Oxidizing substance
 - 5.1 - Oxidizing substance
 - 5.2 - Organic peroxide