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## PPA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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TO

All PPA Officials/Employees

And Others Concerned

SUBJECT

Port Safety, Health and Environmental Management System

(PSHEMS) Project at the PMO Socsargen

Pursuant to the Memorandum of Agreement entered into by PPA with the Partnerships in Environmental Management for the Seas of East Asia (PEMSEA), the PSHEMS is hereby established and implemented at the PMO Socsargen in accordance with the PSHEM Code covering the Dry Container Handling Operations in the Port of General Santos.

The Safety, Health and Environmental (SHE) Policy Statement, as follows, is hereby adopted, made known and should be understood within PPA, as required by the PSHEM Code, ISO 9001:2008, 14001 and OHSAS 1800 Standards:

"IT IS THE POLICY OF PMO SOCSARGEN TO ESTABLISH AND IMPLEMENT A PORT SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND ITS CONTINUAL IMPROVEMENT IN THE DRY CONTAINER HANDLING OPERATIONS IN THE PORT OF GENERAL SANTOS TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS. PROTECT AND PROMOTE THE WELL-BEING OF THE PORT WORKERS AND STAKEHOLDERS THROUGH SAFE AND HEALTHY WORK PRACTICES. SAFEGUARD THE ENVIRONMENT FROM POLLUTION AND OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE THROUGH SUSTAINABLE PROGRAMS AND ADHERE TO ALL APPLICABLE INTERNATIONAL, NATIONAL AND LOCAL STATUTORY AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS."

All concerned PPA officials and employees are enjoined to implement and maintain the SHE Policy within the defined scope of PSHEMS at the PMO Socsargen, Port of General Santos.

Officer-In-Charge

By 2030, PPA shall have provided globally competitive port service in the Philippines characterized by increased productivity, efficiency, connectivity, comfort, safety, security and environmental sustainability

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Provide reliable and responsive services in ports, sustain development of community and the environment, and be a model corporate agency of the government

Establish mutually beneficial, equitable and fair relationship with partners and service providers.

Provide meaningful and gainful employment while creating a nurturing environment that promotes continuous learning and improvement Establish a world class port operation that is globally competitive adding values to the country's image and reputation