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PPA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR No. - 13 - 91

FOR

: All PDO Managers

PMO Managers

Cargo Handling Operators

Shipping Companies

Cargo Shippers/Consignees

Others Concerned

SUBJECT

: Interim Increases in Cargo Handling Charges

Pursuant to the approval by PPA Board Resolution No. 1188 dated 29 April 1991, the following interim increases in cargo handling rates are hereby issued:

			<u>Arrastre</u>	Stevedoring
I.	Conventional (Foreign and Domestic)			
	1.	Breakbulk and General Cargo	20%	20%
	2.	Palletized and Roro Cargoes	10%	None
II.	Containerized and Roro		10%	None
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Containerized Cargoes (Foreign and Domestic)

The above increases are applicable to all cargo handling operators with restructured cargo handling tariff. Cargo handling operators with no restructured tariff can also avail of these increases provided they submit the necessary data for restructuring within thirty (30) days from implementation of the new tariff charges. The new rates are net of taxes, specifically the Value Added Tax and the contractor's tax.

To effect the increases in the existing restructured tariffs of all cargo handling operators the following shall be observed:

- 1. The new rates shall be rounded off to the nearest PO.05;
- 2. The new rates for palletized cargo which already entitled to a 15% discount shall be computed as follows:

New Rate = Existing Rate x 0.85 x 1.10

- 3. Special and extra labor services with specific rates shall not be included in the increases. Thus, arrastre charges for shipside operations which is in the form of checking charge shall not be included in the increase.
- 4. The Commercial Services Department shall within fifteen (15) days from date of issuance of this circular, make the necessary adjustments in the existing cargo handling tariffs of all handling operators entitled to the approved increases.

This circular shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication.

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