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PPA Operations Memorandum Circular

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All Port District Managers All Port Managers and

Others Concerned

SUBJECT

Discontinuance of Submission of Bill of Lading as a Documentary Requirement in the Entrance/Departure Clearance Procedures

Of Quality Management System – Vessel Entrance and Clearance

(QMS-VEC) Procedure Manual

Pursuant to the implementation of PPA MC No. 13-2002 entitled "Reduction of Documentary Requirements for Arrival and Departure Clearance for Domestic and Foreign Vessels," the submission of the Bill of Lading as one of the requirements for the Entrance and Departure Clearance is hereby discontinued.

For ports which have been ISO-certified under the QMS-VEC Program, the Port Manager/PMO Management Representatives concerned are hereby directed to make necessary revisions in their QMS-VEC Procedure Manuals under the Entrance Formalities Procedures regarding the deletion of the Bill of Lading as one of the requirements to be submitted by the shipping agent.

For compliance.

RAUL T. SANTOS

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MISSION