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Advisory on Auto-pregate and Updation of "Special Stow" in e-Form 13 Application – APM Terminals

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Dear Valuable Customers.

We have been informed as below by APM Terminals Mumbai:

We have rolled out the "Auto-pre-gate" facility at APM terminals. This facility will avoid manual updation of the "Pre-gate" form. Currently, the facility automatically triggers the pre-gate on successful completion of inspection, from the container attributes entered by customer in the e-Form 13 application. This facility has assisted in reducing the errors inadvertently committed while updating the "Pre-gate" form, as well as reducing the waiting time at the Parking Plaza. Thus it is advisable to ensure that all relevant fields in the e-Form 13 application are accurately updated.

It has been observed that the "Special Stow" field in the e-Form 13 application is not being updated highlighting special categories. Especially in case of "One Door Open" (Onion/garlic/watermelon containers etc) container category. As a result of this, the terminal planning team is unable to identify such containers which in turn leads to wrong stowage position in yard and vessel of the container. It would additionally be beneficial if relevant remarks may be entered while filling in the e-Form 13 for the container.

Request your cooperation in ensuring that special containers are stacked in relevant blocks of the yard thereby confirming to terminal as well as vessel safety standards.

Please feel free to contact our local Sales/ Customer service team for any further details.

For ONE (Ocean Network Express) Line (India) Pvt Ltd

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