



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
MANILA

MAR 25 1998

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM
ORDER NO. 26-95B

TO : All Collectors of Customs, Importers
Customs Brokers & Representatives
Bonded Warehouse Operators
and Others Concerned

SUBJECT : Applicable Arrastre Charges for
Assessment Purposes

To account for increases in port charges, the arrastre charges to be observed in the Automated Customs Operations System (ACOS) for Customs assessment purposes shall be :

- a) P7.80 per metric ton for shipside cargo
- b) P100.00 per metric ton for pierside cargo
or declared charge if higher.

This order shall take effect on Wednesday, April 8, 1998.


GUILLERMO L. PARAYNO, JR.
Commissioner

Case 0-26-95B
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INCREASES IN ARRASTRE CHARGES AT POM AND MICP						
EFFECTIVE 1 JANUARY AND 1 MARCH 1998						
CONTAINERIZED						
SIZE	OLD RATE PER BOX	PER M.T. RATE OLD	3/1 RATE PER BOX	PER M.T. RATE NEW	M.T PER BOX	PER CENT INCREASE
20 FT	1366	75.88	1485	82.5	18	8.80%
40FT	3135	111.96	3408	121.71	28	8.80%
Total =			204.21 / 2 = 102.10 per M.T. average			
NON CONTAINERIZED						
TYPE	OLD RATE PER M.T.	1/1 NEW RATE	PER CENT INCREASE			
General	54.45	65.35	20%			
Steel	64.1	76.9	20%			
Logs	63.2	75.85	20%			
Lumber	67.4	80.9	20%			
Bulk	54.45	65.35	20%			
Total =		364.35 / 5 = 72.87 per metric ton average				
TO NOTE :						
All cargo types equated on a per metric ton basis						
Current Customs rate applicable to all types of pierside cargo = P92.00 per metric ton						
Recommended increase equate to increase for Containerized cargo - ie 8.8%						
Therefore recommended increase is from P92.00 per metric ton to P100.00 per metric ton						
Arrastre Charges for Shipperside cargo were increased effective 1 January 1998 from P6.50 per Metric ton to P7.80 per metric ton. It is recommended that this rate be increased accordingly in ACOS						
Therefore Arrastre Charges for Shipperside cargo as set in ACOS will be P7.30 per metric ton						
Arrastre charges for Pierside cargo as set in ACOS will be P100.00 per metric ton						
OR - Declared Fee if higher						