



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
MANILA

November 3, 1994

Customs Memorandum Order
No. 45 - 94

To: The District Collectors, MICP and POM
All Shipping Lines/Agents
All Consolidators/Break Bulk Agents
The Arrastre Operators (of the
respective ports)
All Others Concerned

Subject: Full Compliance to the Electronic
Submission of Inward Cargo Manifest

In line with the Bureau's computerization program and to hasten the cargo clearance, the following shall be observed in the submission of Inward Foreign Manifests:

1. Effective 21 November 1994, the provisions of CAO 01-93 dtd. 14 Jan. 1993 particularly para 4 thereof shall be strictly enforced at the South Harbor and at the Manila International Container Port.
2. Paragraph 4 of CAO 01-93 provides that -
"In addition to the inward foreign cargo manifest submitted by the ship's master to the customs inspector on board, the same information as therein contained shall henceforth be submitted by all shipping lines to the Data Monitoring Division/Unit in diskette media, following the International Standard ISO alpha-2 country code, ISO 2014 for writing of dates of the Gregorian calendar in all numeric form (YYYYMMDD) and technical specifications hereto attached as Annex A."
3. Shipping lines with the capability but not yet transmitting manifest via E-mail must coordinate with the arrastre operator and the BOC-DMU for the interconnection.

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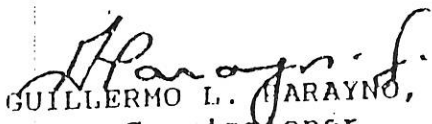
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4. Shipping lines without capability to encode manifest details in computer diskettes must present their manifest to the arrastre operator's computer facility for the preparation of diskette manifest. The arrastre operator is hereby authorized to collect an encoding fee at cost.
5. The required three (3) copies of the manifest in hard copy (para c-3 of CAO 1-93) shall continue to be distributed as follows:

Copy No.	Office
1	Entry Processing Division/Data Monitoring Division/Unit
2	Resident Auditor, BOC
3	Collector of Customs

6. To enforce compliance with this order, cargo release instructions must only be coursed through the On-Line Release System (OLRS) and no releases should be made for any cargo the particulars of which are not yet in the manifest file of the OLRs.

Any Customs memorandum order or issuance contradictory or inconsistent with this Order is hereby deemed revoked or modified accordingly.


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Commissioner