Call for Position Papers

and Participation in the Public Consultation

WHAT:

The Bureau of Customs (BOC) is requesting position papers from all interested private and public stakeholders in preparation for the conduct of public consultation on the **proposed Guidelines on the Imposition of Fees and/or Charges for Lifting, Claiming, or Recovering Part of the Proceeds in the Sale of Impliedly Abandonment Goods** pursuant to Section 204, Chapter 1, Title II, in relation to CAO No. 17-2019 on Abandonment: Kinds, Effects and Treatment, Sections 1129 and 1130, Chapter 6, Title XI, Section 1300, Title XIII, and other related provisions of Republic Act No. 10863, otherwise known as the Customs Modernization and Tariff Act (CMTA). The draft as of 09 July 2020 is found in http://customs.gov.ph/cmta/

WHEN:

We are accepting Position Papers from **09 July 2020 to 16 July 2020,** closing exactly at midnight, Philippine Standard Time. This deadline will be **strictly enforced**.

Stakeholders are invited to attend the online public consultation to be held on July 16, 2020 at **2:00 PM to 3:30 PM**.

WHERE:

The online public consultation shall be held via zoom with the following details:

Zoom ID: 830 1154 3631 Password: 891970

Please come prepared with your list of talking points. Stakeholders are **strictly advised** to use the **Position Paper Template**.

CONTACT US:

Your Position Papers should be submitted to CMTA IRR PMO at cmta.irr.pmo@customs.gov.ph *Attn*: Project Manager, cc cmta_irr@dof.gov.ph.

The CMTA IRR PMO will send an email confirming receipt of your Position Paper no later than 24 hours from receipt.

Your position papers and inputs during the public consultation will assist the BOC in finalizing the CAO on Imposition of Fees and/or Charges for Lifting, Claiming, or Recovering part of the Proceeds in the Sale of Impliedly Abandonment Goods.

We look forward to your participation.

Thank you.