

## **Call for Position Papers and Participation in the Public Consultation**

### **WHAT:**

The Department of Finance (DOF) and the Bureau of Customs (BOC) have issued the **draft CAO on Conditionally Tax and/or Duty-Exempt Importation of “Returning Residents” and Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs)**. The draft as of 3 November 2016 is found in [www.dof.gov.ph/cmta\\_irr](http://www.dof.gov.ph/cmta_irr).

### **WHEN:**

We are accepting Position Papers from interested private and public stakeholders from **3 November to 10 November 2016**, closing exactly at midnight, Philippine Standard Time.

This deadline will be **strictly enforced**.

### **WHERE:**

Stakeholders are invited to attend the public consultation to be held on **10 November 2016** from **9:00am to 11:30am** at the **President's Room, 4th Floor, BOC, Port of Manila**.

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](mailto:cmta.irr.pmo@customs.gov.ph) *Attn:* Project Manager, cc [cmta\\_irr@dof.gov.ph](mailto: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 DOF and the BOC in finalizing the CAO on Conditionally Tax and/or Duty-Exempt Importation of “Returning Residents” and Overseas Filipino Workers.

We look forward to your full cooperation and participation.

Thank you.