

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 Duty Drawback, Refund and Abatement, and Return of Cash Deposits Held in Trust**. The draft as of 10 November 2016 is found in www.dof.gov.ph/cmta_irr.

WHEN:

We are accepting Position Papers from interested private and public stakeholders from **10 November to 17 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 **17 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 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 DOF and the BOC in finalizing the CAO on Duty Drawback, Refund and Abatement, and Return of Cash Deposits Held in Trust.

We look forward to your full cooperation and participation.

Thank you.