



Official Advisory of Mindanao Container Terminal

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Dear Valued Shipping Line Partners,

As part of the terminal's ongoing effort and commitment to enhance the safe segregation of hazardous cargoes within the Dangerous Cargo Area (DCA), Mindanao Container Terminal (MCT) will now require the submission of a cleaning certificate for ISO tanks declared as empty effective October 01, 2023. If the customer fails to provide the certificate within the set deadline, the empty ISO tank will automatically be treated as a laden-dangerous cargo.

Outlined herewith are the specified guidelines:

Declared Empty ISO Tanks – Export Cargo

- A cleaning certificate is required upon submission of load list;
- To prevent cargo shut-out during vessel loading, it is mandatory to remove stickers from all four sides of the clean empty container.

Declared Empty ISO Tanks – Import Cargo

- A cleaning certificate is required upon submission of EDI;
- In the absence of a cleaning certificate, the cargo will be treated as laden dangerous cargo.

MCT Memo 09-13-2023 Cleaning Certificate for Empty ISO Tanks

Should there be any concerns and needed clarification, kindly reach out to mictsiCRO@micti.com and mictsiOPSSupervisor@mictsi.com.

Best regards,

MCT MANAGEMENT