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Traders and Declaring Agents

Dear Sir/Madam

CUSTOMS PROCEDURES FOR THE IMPORT OF BULK AGGREGATES VIA JURONG FREE TRADE ZONE

Imported goods are subject to GST and/or duty payment, and a customs permit is required to account for the import and tax payment of the goods. As part of Singapore Customs' continuous effort to streamline trade processes, we had reviewed the customs procedures for the import of bulk aggregates via Jurong Free Trade Zone ("FTZ").

Import Procedures for Bulk Aggregates

2 With effect from 6 Sep 2023, importers of bulk aggregates via Jurong FTZ may declare one import permit to account for the import of the shipment (i.e., barge/vessel), and the importers should present a Master Pass Out Note to Immigration & Checkpoints Authority ("ICA") at the Jurong FTZ checkpoints for the clearance of trucks carrying the bulk aggregates with the following conditions:

- a) All import shipments of bulk aggregates must be covered by a valid import permit upon berthing at Jurong FTZ;
- b) All trucks exiting Jurong FTZ checkpoints with bulk aggregates must be covered by a Master Pass Out Note issued by JP with a valid import permit number stated on the Master Pass Out Note;
- c) The importers must obtain ICA's clearance for the import permit when the shipment is fully cleared from Jurong FTZ;
- d) The importers must ensure that the shipment is cleared from Jurong FTZ within the permit validity period; and
- e) The importers must be able to account for the movements of the imported bulk aggregates.

3 We would like to remind you that it is the responsibility of the importer and the appointed declaring agent to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the

information declared in the customs permit application, and to comply with the permit conditions issued in the permits. The importer or the appointed declaring agent is also required to keep documents and records relating to the purchase, import and sale of the goods for at least 5 years from the date on which the goods are released for import or duty/GST payment. For more information, please refer to [Circular No: 11/2019, "Advisory: Customs Requirements and Best Practices for Import of Goods"](#).

Yours faithfully

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