

General Direction

The Director General



NOTICE TO LOADERS, SHIPOWNERS, MARITIME AGENTS
DG / N ° 003 / ML / 08/2018

Concerning: Partnership OGEFREM-AFRICA UNION CARGO NAMIBIA

In application:

- of the law n ° 08/009 of July 07, 2008 laying down general provisions for Public establishments
- Decree n ° 09/63 of December 03rd, 2009 fixing the Statutes of OGEFREM, especially article 10;
- Order no. 409/01/83 of 17 January 1983 setting the terms for the management of the sea freight and the control of the application of negotiated freight rates, as amended and completed to date, in particular the Departmental Order no. 409/021 of 21 September 2001 and Ministerial Order no. 409 / CAB / MIN / TC / 007 of 25/11/2006;
- Interministerial Order no. 035 / CAB / MIN / FINANCE / 2016 and No. 005 / CAB / MIN-COM / 2016 of March 23, 2016 on the Manual Harmonized Procedures Applicable to the Single Window of External Trade.
- Reviewed the notice to Loaders, ship Owners, Shipping Agents no. ADG / ADT / DFAL / FAC / No. 004 / BB / 04/2008.

Considering the need to make available to the integral Single Window of External Trade all documents forming part of the documentary package required in the clearance procedure.

The Multimodal Freight Management Office informs that since July 27, 2018, the company, AFRICA UNION CARGO NAMIBIA has been appointed Agent for the establishment of the Electronic information Data Sheet for Import (FERI), the perception of the commission of intervention and the issuance of the Destination Certificate for all Congolese freight from the Republic of South Africa, Namibia and that transiting through the ports of said countries.

The Cargo Tracking slip (FERI) to be issued by the company AFRICA UNION CARGO NAMIBIA Company must be completed online on the site www.africaunioncargo.com website in the "Chargers Council" section.

OGEFREM reminds that any cargo destined for the Democratic Republic of Congo must be covered by an FERI delivered at the port of embarkation.

The FERI number assigned must be indicated on the corresponding bill of lading.

Failing to present the FERI, OGEFREM has the right to apply the subsequent provisions.

The entities concerned are required to ensure the strict application of the present notice as of 01 September 2018.

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of Congo Namibia
Windhoek, 07 September 2018



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**DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTS AND COMMUNICATION
THE MULTIMODAL FREIGHT MANAGEMENT OFFICE**



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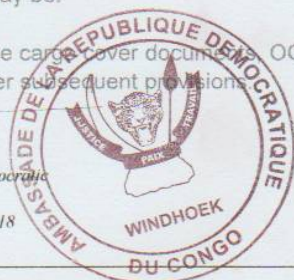
Concerning:

The provisions relating to the compulsory subscription of documents of freight cover intended for Importers, Exporters, Freight Forwarders, Shipping, Agents and Other Stakeholders in transportation.

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- of the Inter-ministerial Order no. 035 / CAB / MIN / FINANCE / 2006 and no. 005 / CAB / MIN-COM / 2016 of 23 March 2016 on the Manual of Harmonized Procedures Applicable to the Single Window of External Trade.
- Reviewed the Circular Note No. DG / DFAC / DFM / No. 0003 / MA / 09/2011 of 09/09/2011 on the FERI.
- Considering the need to make available to the integral Single Window of External Trade all documents forming part of the documentary package required in the clearance procedure.
- The Multimodal Freight Management Office recalls the following imperative regulatory provisions:
 1. The subscription for the cover documents of cargo generated by the Congolese economy, namely FERI (Electronic information Data Sheet for Import), FERE (Electronic information Data Sheet for Export) and AD (Certificate of Destination) is mandatory;
 2. The different documents can be obtained:
 - The Electronic information Data Sheet for Import (FERI): from the agent of OGEFREM at the port of embarkation;
 - The Electronic information Data Sheet for Export(FERE): from the forwarding agent authorized by the OGEFREM;
 - Certificate of destination (AD): from the agent of OGEFREM.
 3. The control of the cover documents is done by the agent of OGEFREM at the port of transit, the bore posts or any other point where a break of load exists.
 4. Without prejudice of the penalties prescribed in point 5, the consignee of any cargo not covered by the required cargo cover documents shall be required to take this document at the border post or the transit port, as the case may be.
 5. Failing to present the cargo cover documents, OGEFREM has the right to apply the penalties provided for by the regulations and other subsequent provisions.

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