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All Traders and Forwarding Agents



ENHANCEMENTS OF E-FILING APPLICATIONS FOR SUPERVISION OF UNSTUFFING OF SEALED CONTAINERS



In our continuing effort to improve services to the trading community, we are pleased to inform you that we will be implementing enhancements to the e-filing module for application of Customs supervision at Ports Branch HQ and at Pasir Panjang Terminal with effect from 1 Apr 02.

2 The enhancements which are provided to better serve your operational needs include:

(a) **Additional time-slots for application of Customs services (including supervision of unstuffing) on weekdays and Saturdays**

New time-slot at 12.30 p.m. on weekdays and 10.30 am on Saturdays have been added for your selection. With this inclusion, the available time-slots in the e-filing application are 8.45 am, 10.30 am, 12.30 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. on weekdays and 8.30 am and 10.30 am on Saturdays.

(b) **Choice of a single application or combination of three applications at different locations in one e-filing application**

If you have more than one application for Customs supervision to be conducted at different locations, and would like the same team of officers to attend to the applications consecutively, you may choose the option "Max. Three places of operation" to group up to 3 applications in one e-filing submission. However, if you prefer to have different teams of officers to attend to your operations simultaneously at different locations, please choose the option "Only one place of operation".

(c) **Provisions of additional permit and container fields**

More fields are provided for the declaration of container number and permit number for consignments that are covered by multiple permits.

3 If you need further clarification, you may contact Mr Lau Soon Meng/Mr Heng Hua Choong at Ports Branch HQ at Tel No: 62206376/62219185 or Mr Yong Ser Foo/Mr Kee Nai Eng at Pasir Panjang Terminal at Tel No: 67738229/67738226.

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