

MARINA Advisory No: 2013-13

Series of 2013

TO : All Shipping Companies/MARINA Regional Offices and All Concerned

SUBJECT : **CLARIFICATION ON THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PERMIT TO CARRY DANGEROUS/HAZARDOUS CARGOES OR GOODS IN PACKAGED FORM**

DATE : 14 August 2013

This is to serve as clarification on the proper office to file any requests for issuance of Special Permit (SP) to carry dangerous/hazardous cargoes or goods in packaged form in the light of the issuance of the memorandum dated 06 August 2013 by the Philippine Coast Guard (PCG) directing all PCG District Commanders to stop/cease issuance of SP to any dangerous cargoes or goods, pursuant to MARINA Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 2008-01.

Considering, however, that the effectivity of MC 2008-01 has remained suspended by virtue of MARINA Advisory No. 2008-04, NOTICE is hereby given that MARINA Memorandum Circular No. 101 dated 06 April 1995, remains valid until further Orders.

Henceforth, any application or request for issuance of said SP may be filed at the Maritime Safety Office (MSO), Manila or the concerned MARINA Regional Office. The SP request shall be accepted and processed strictly in accordance with Memorandum Circular No. 101, Series of 1995.

For guidance and compliance of all concerned.

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