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MEMORANDUM

TO

All Shipping Companies Catering RO-RO Bus in All Ports

Transiting the Strong Republic Nautical Highway (SRNH) and

All Concerned

SUBJECT

REQUIREMENT OF ALL PASSENGERS TO UNDERGO

AND PASSTHRU SECURITY CHECK-UP

In order to ensure an orderly, safe and reliable transportation systems particularly in the water transport, all passengers including those of bus and private cars are hereby prohibited to board the vessels unless they undergo the mandatory security check at the Passenger Terminal by the PPA and/or the company's security guards under the supervision of and coordination with the PPA, PCG, PNP-MG and MARINA.

It order to fulfil this basic objective, shipping companies shall ensure that measures are put in place so that no passengers are on board the bus/car when loaded to the ship. The ship's Master is responsible to ensure that no person is inside the bus/car while the ship is on voyage. The Master should see to it that drivers are not allowed to get inside the vehicles unless the ship is secured and the ramp is down for unloading.

To avoid unnecessary delays and queuing at ticket counter and for purposes of accountability, bus drivers/conductors are required to submit a duly prepared passenger manifest to the shipping company who will in turn incorporate the same with the passenger manifest to be submitted to PPA and/or PCG.

Shipping companies have the prime responsibilities to ensure that this Directive is faithfully implemented.

For strict compliance of/ali concerned.

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