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PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 99/2026

Subject: Partial modifications to Public Notice 97/2026 dated 11.08.2026 – reg.

Attention of all Shipping Lines, Shipping Agents, Authorized Sea Cargo Service Providers, Customs Brokers, Importers, Exporters and other stakeholders concerned is invited to the provisions relating to filing of manifests under the Sea Cargo Manifest and Transshipment Regulations (SCMTR) 2018, **Public Notice No. 97/2026 dated 11.08.2026** and the instructions issued by the Directorate General of Systems & Data Management vide File No. **DGSYS/APP/ICES/GEN/3/2024/944-47 dated 07.08.2026 & email dated 13.08.2026.**

2. **The Competent Authority has decided that supplementary IGM/EGM filing at all the remaining ports shall be disabled with effect from 20.08.2026.**
3. In view of the above, all concerned stakeholders are hereby informed that:
 - (i) With effect from **20.08.2026**, no supplementary IGM/EGM filing shall be accepted by e-mail or in physical form.
 - (ii) Any amendment to the manifest shall mandatorily be filed through the **standard SCMTR amendment messages**, as prescribed in the SCMTR framework.
 - (iii) **The intermediary period may be utilized for preparation and familiarization with SCMTR amendment messages.**
 - (iv) Shipping Lines, Shipping Agents and other concerned stakeholders are advised to ensure that their systems and operational processes are duly enabled for filing the prescribed SCMTR amendment messages before the stipulated date.
4. All stakeholders, particularly Shipping Lines and their Agents, are advised to ensure strict compliance with the above requirement and to complete necessary system/onboarding-related activities well before **20.08.2026**, so as to avoid any disruption in cargo clearance and related operations.
5. **No request for acceptance of legacy/manual supplementary IGM/EGM filings shall ordinarily be entertained after 20.08.2026**, in view of the decision to permanently disable such filing facility.
6. In case of any genuine operational difficulty or technical bottleneck during the transition, the same may be brought to the notice of the AC/SCMTR immediately for examination and necessary technical support.
7. All stakeholders are requested to take note of the above instructions and ensure strict

compliance.

8. Difficulties, if any, in implementation of this Public Notice may be brought to the notice of the AC/SCMTR at **Email - fanib.g019701@gov.in**.

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