

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 24-001 *MA*
Series of 2024

**TO: All shipping Line/Agents, Accredited Port Users, CEZA
Registered Enterprise and Locators, Other Concerned**

**SUBJECT: REMOVAL OF THE REQUIREMENT OF TUG BOAT
ASSISTANCE FOR VESSELS WITH GROSS REGISTER
TONNAGE (GRT) OF LESS THAN 2000 GRT**

In order to ensure efficient and economical procedure in bringing in goods through Port Irene, without sacrificing safe maneuvering of vessels arriving at the port, the following guidelines are issued:

1. Vessels of less than 2000 GRT are exempted from the use of tug boat assistance, unless the Master of the vessel opts to avail of the tug services;
2. In no case shall any vessel of 2000 GRT and above be allowed to dock/undock at Port Irene without tug assistance.

This order shall take effect immediately.

April 18, 2024



SEC. KATRINA PONCE ENRILE
Administrator and CEO



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