



PORT OF PORT OF SPAIN

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Dear Stakeholders,

Repairs to Ship to Shore Crane 1


The Port of Port of Spain wishes to advise that **Ship to Shore Crane 1 (STS1)** is scheduled for repairs and as a result, has been removed from service. These repairs are required to ensure improved reliability, productivity, and continued safety of the operations and service to you, our valued customers.

Repairs are expected to be completed, and the crane return to service, in approximately six (6) weeks, on or before Monday 16th November, 2020. Please note that the absence of STS1 would therefore reduce the gantry crane availability to service vessels, as **Ship to Shore Cranes 3 and 4** will be the only operational gantry cranes. PPOS understands the challenges in reduced crane availability and wishes to assure stakeholders that all efforts will be taken to minimize operational disruptions. In that regard, the Mobile Harbour Crane (MHC2) will be utilized to facilitate operations along with Ship Crane operations where necessary.

PPOS regrets any inconvenience caused due to these very necessary works which will serve to ensure continued efficient service to our stakeholders. Every effort will be made to have the project successfully completed within the allotted timeframe.

We thank you for your usual understanding, and will ensure efficient communication as the project progresses. If further clarification or information is required, please do not hesitate to contact Patricia Persad E-mail: patriciap@patnt.com at 623-2901 ext. 276 or 686-4141 or Ricardo Gonzales E-mail: ricardog@patnt.com 623-2901 ext. 257 or 740-3805.

Respectfully,



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