Customer Advisory

Possible Terminal Congestion at U.S. West Coast Ports

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Dear Valued Evergreen Customers,

On December 13, 2018, we issued an Advisory to inform you, our valued customers, of the potential for terminal congestion at West Coast Ports. We would now like to expand on this and strongly emphasize that import volumes remain at very high levels at most terminals. The unique circumstances have brought about a significant surge in increased volumes, in the main due to the impending US tariffs on Chinese goods and the up-coming lunar New Year on 5th February. As a consequence, terminals are close to capacity.

We urgently need everyone to make the utmost efforts to immediately take delivery of any import containers, arrange for cargo to be unloaded and the empty equipment returned as soon as possible. With your assistance we will be able to keep terminal operations fluid and minimize any disruption.

For further information, please contact your local Evergreen office or sales representative.

We thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

Sincerely,

Evergreen Shipping Agency (America) Corporation