

## **Customer Advisory**

Date: 25<sup>th</sup> July 2013

Dear Valued Customers,

## Subject: Notice on Maximum Allowable Weight on Containers via Port of Mombasa

To avoid serious damage to road infrastructure due to excessive loading, Kenya Roads Authority has directed Importers, transporters, Kenya Ports Authority and shipping lines to abide by the standard weight limitations on containers.

Therefore, with effect from 16th September 2013 (discharge date), the maximum allowable weight should not exceed 34MT (including the container tare weight) and or should be within the stipulated weight on the container CSC plate. This is applicable for standard 20'/40' GP/RF/HQ units only. Any OOG or overweight units on FR/OT will be allowed upon prior approval from Kenya Ports Authority.

Authorities will take strict action should they find any container exceeding the stipulated weight limit. Any costs associated with this would be passed over to the shipper.

Thanking you in advance for your understanding and support.