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September 28, 2018

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF A RECIRCULATED DRAFT SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT FOR THE BERTHS 97-109 [CHINA SHIPPING] CONTAINER TERMINAL PROJECT (SCH #2003061153)

The City of Los Angeles Harbor Department (Harbor Department) has prepared a Recirculated Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) for the Berths 97-109 [China Shipping] Container Terminal Project. This Recirculated Draft SEIR is a complete recirculation of the Draft SEIR released on June 16, 2017, due to significant new information added. The significant new information in the Recirculated Draft SEIR centers around the evaluation of the operation of the terminal from 2008 to 2014 under the set of mitigation measures approved in the certified 2008 Final EIR, to the extent those were implemented, and its continued operation in the future under new and/or modified mitigation measures, along with an incrementally higher cargo throughput level compared to that assumed in the 2008 Final EIR. The analysis examines whether potentially new significant environmental impacts or substantially more severe impacts would occur in the areas of Air Quality, Greenhouse Gases, and Ground Transportation. The Recirculated Draft SEIR was prepared in accordance with current City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, Article I; the State CEQA Guidelines, Article 7, Sections 15086-15087; and the California Public Resources Code Section 21153.

Availability:

The Recirculated Draft SEIR is being released for a period of 45 days for public review and comment starting on September 28, 2018, and ending on November 13, 2018. Reviewers are advised that new comments must be submitted on the Recirculated Draft SEIR, and although part of the administrative record, comments received on the prior 2017 Draft SEIR may no longer be considered pertinent and as such, would not require a written response by the Harbor Department in the Final SEIR. The Recirculated Draft SEIR is available for review at: Harbor Department Environmental Management Division, 222 W. 6th Street, Suite 900, San Pedro, CA 90731; Los Angeles City Library, Central Branch, 630 W. 5th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071; Los Angeles City Library, San Pedro Branch, 931 S. Gaffey Street, San Pedro, CA 90731; and Los Angeles City Library, Wilmington Branch, 1300 North Avalon, Wilmington, CA 90744.

The entire Recirculated Draft SEIR is also available on the Port of Los Angeles' website: <http://www.portoflosangeles.org> under the Environmental tab.

Public Meeting:

A public meeting will be held on October 25, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the Harbor Department Administration Building, 425 South Palos Verdes Street, San Pedro, CA 90731.¹ The meeting will be conducted in English with Spanish translation services available.

Comments:

Comments on the Recirculated Draft SEIR should be submitted in writing prior to the end of the 45-day public review period and must be postmarked by **November 13, 2018**. Please submit written comments to:

City of Los Angeles Harbor Department
Christopher Cannon, Director
Environmental Management Division
P.O. Box 151
San Pedro, CA 90731

Comments may also be sent via email to ceqacomment@portla.org.

Please remember to:

- Send your comments in letter format as an attachment to the e-mail;
- Provide an optional valid mailing address; and
- Use the project title in the e-mail subject line.

For additional information, please contact Lisa Ochsner at (310) 732-3412.

Sincerely,



CHRISTOPHER CANNON
Director of Environmental Management

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APP No.: 150224-504

¹ As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability and, upon request, will provide reasonable accommodation to ensure equal access to its programs, services, and activities. Sign Language Interpreters, Communication Access Real-Time Transcription, Assistive Listening Devices or other auxiliary aids and/or services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability, you are advised to make your request at least 72 hours prior to the meeting. When requesting sign language interpreters, five or more business days' notice is strongly recommended. For additional information please contact Trisha Malahni at (310) 732-3480. TTY users please use 711 for access to Telecommunication Relay Service.