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Free Time Logic – Trial Extension

Dear Terminal Users,

This week, our six-month trial of changes to our four-day free time logic for inbound automotive cargo concludes.

We saw significant improvements in cargo dwell times in the first few months of the trial period. However, in late November, a surge in contaminated cargo arriving at the terminal and the subsequent congestion this has caused has meant we have been unable to gauge the impacts fully, both negative and positive, that adjusting our free time logic to include weekends and public holidays has delivered.

As a result, we will extend the trial period for a further six months, expiring **on the 17th of October 2023**, at which point MIRRAT management, in consultation with the industry, will assess the effect these changes have had in encouraging cargo to move within four days. Then, we will decide whether to adjust our logic permanently.

We thank you for supporting this initiative and look forward to continuing working together to improve terminal congestion.

Regards



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