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MR'S ADVISORY TO SHIPPING No. A-30-2004

TO : All Steamship Agents, Owners, and Operators

SUBJECT: Transit Booking Information on the Panama Canal Internet Page

1. The Panama Canal Authority would like to advise that a new section on its Internet Page is now available at <http://www.pancanal.com/eng/maritime/transit/index.html>, which contains information on the current status of the Transit Booking System as follows:

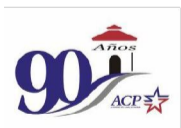
- a. Booking Slots Available
 - (1) Small vessels (under 91 feet in beam)
 - (2) Large vessels (91 feet in beam and over)
 - (3) Booking Slots Available Report
- b. Customer Ranking Report

2. The Booking Slots Available display has been designed to provide you with information on reserved slots and slot availability within the next 12 months, while the new Booking Slots Available Report has been created to facilitate the review of the availability of booking dates. This information is updated every two hours.

3. The Customer Ranking Report is updated and posted at the end of each month

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