



**AUTORIDAD DEL CANAL DE PANAMÁ**  
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENCY FOR OPERATIONS

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**ADVISORY TO SHIPPING No. A-60-2016**

November 15, 2016

**TO** : All Shipping Agents, Owners, and Operators  
**SUBJECT:** Panama Canal Locks Lane Outage and the Transit Reservation System

Beginning at 2000 hours on Friday, November 18, 2016, until 0800 hours on Saturday, November 19, 2016 (12 hours), the **EAST** lane of **Gatun Locks** will be out of service in order to perform scheduled repairs on the northeast approach wall and on rising stem valve 223.

As a result, and in accordance with the rules governing the Transit Reservation System (OP's Notice to Shipping No. N-7-2016), **Condition 1.a** for the Panamax Locks will be in effect on Saturday, November 19, 2016.

Applications for reserved transits while **Condition 1.a** is in effect will be received beginning at 0900 hours on Wednesday, November 16, 2016. The *Just-In-Time* (JIT) transit slots, as well as the booking slot available through the Auction Process, and the slots available for regular vessels less than 300 feet in LOA, will continue to be offered during this period.

This document is cancelled for record purposes on November 30, 2016.

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