

Client Advisory

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**China Customs Advance Manifest (CCAM) Regulation Update
- Inbound / Outbound cargo to / from / via Mainland China**

Dear Valued Customers,

We hereby would like to share with you about the China Customs Advance Manifest (CCAM) regulation updates since CCAM pilot running held by China Customs from the end of March, 2009.

There is a high possibility that China Customs will enforce the CCAM regulation in batches starting from Xiamen, Shenzhen and Shanghai. Then other cities in China will follow the enforcement later.

Though no official notices on enforcement details and time have been released by China Customs so far, we can foresee the day coming in the very near future.

Currently, Maersk Line is **testing** the import manifest submission function under CCAM policy for cargoes from Netherland, United Kingdom and German to Xiamen, Shenzhen and Shanghai. We expect to have this formality in place worldwide by the end of this year.

Our policy regarding inbound / outbound cargo to / from / via Mainland China, however, remains unchanged until further official notice from China Customs.

Once China Customs decides to enforce the new CCAM regulation, Maersk Line will strictly follow the "no Doc, no Load" policy immediately, which means only those cargo with timely/complete customer declaration and accepted by China Customs would be loaded.

To ensure smooth transportation of your shipment after CCAM full enforcement, we suggest preparation work could be done as early as possible. It's strongly recommended that start from now on all shippers submit complete and accurate shipping instructions (SI) to us for inbound cargo to Mainland China and manifest declaration documents to vessel agents for outbound cargo from Mainland China as early as possible.

For detailed information of this regulation and relevant Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ), you may visit Maersk Line website via this link: [CCAM Homepage](#)

We will keep you informed of any further development. Should you have any questions or require any assistance regarding this new regulation, please don't hesitate to contact your local Maersk Line representative.

Thank you for your attention.

Yours sincerely,

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