



Jurong Port



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To: All Boat Operators / Port Users

Dear Sir/Madam,

Validity & Requirements of Lifting Equipment

1. This circular aims to bring to your attention on the validity & requirement of lifting equipment
2. It is mandatory to ensure that all lifting equipment (lifting gears, lifting appliances and lifting machines) shall thoroughly be examined at least once every year (12 months) as stipulated in the Workplace Safety and Health (General Provisions) Regulation and SS343 Part 1 (Lifting Gears), Part 2 (Hooks) Part 3 (Shackles). Applies also to supply boat's lifting gears, it must be within 12 months validity period prior to use
3. Requirements for lifting equipment:
 - a. All lifting equipment (lifting gears, lifting appliances and lifting machines) used for cargo lifting operations must be tested and certified by MOM's Approved Authorized Examiner (AE) yearly
 - b. Lifting equipment must be tagged with proper identification. Proper identification includes certificate serial numbers, dates of test / expiry and safe working load (SWL) of the lifting equipment
 - c. Prior to lifting operations, lifting supervisors must ensure that all lifting equipment are in working condition with valid certificates
 - d. A copy of the lifting equipment certificate(s) must always be available for verification purpose
 - e. JP reserves the right to refuse services to any boat that uses sub-standard lifting equipment and/or without sufficient quantity deem appropriate for the volume of cargos

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4. We would like to emphasize the importance of compliance to the above-mentioned. And in accordance to Jurong Port's General Rules & Regulations, violations of such will result in being penalised under the Demerit Points Scheme. Please comply with the above to avoid any unnecessary disruptions to the operations

Thank you.

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