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To: All Port Users

Unauthorised Usage of Fire Fighting Equipment

- 1. There had been a surge of unauthorised usage of fire fighting equipment, especially fire hose reels and fire extinguishers, in non-emergency situations during the last 2 quarters. Fire extinguishers, hose reels and all other firefighting equipment located at each building, as per Fire Safety Act stipulations, are strictly for emergency usage only.
- 2. Common observed violations include:
 - a. Taking away a fire extinguisher mounted on the wall for fire-watchman duties. All contractors are to provide their own fire extinguishers for fire watch functions.
 - b. Using hose-reels to wash equipment among others.
- 3. Misuse of firefighting equipment carries a penalty of 6 Demerit Points and Enforcement Charges of \$100 (for individual) and \$2000 (for Company).
- 4. This circular applies to all JPPL location sites including PLT, MSW, OMC and JBWC.
- 5. For strict compliance please.

Thank you.

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