

# **VERIFIED GROSS MASS (VGM)**

**Dear Customers,**

In order to comply with The SOLAS Convention on the requirement for shippers to provide **Verified Gross Mass (VGM)** for every packed/laden container, we would like to start a **trial of VGM implementation** from **06th June 2016 till 26th June 2016** before the global effective date, **01st July 2016**.

Please find the procedures for VGM and document required

- VGM format to be filled by shipper.
- VGM cut-off is the same as Terminal closing date.
- Shipper to submit 1 copy to vessel operator / agent.

Should you have any further queries, please contact our export documentation and marketing offices.

We thank you for your ongoing and valuable support.

Yours faithfully

**MANAGEMENT.**

**OCEANFREIGHT (E.A) LTD.**

**As Agents for MEDITERRANEAN SHIPPING COMPANY S.A.**

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