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## ADPC PORT CIRCULAR

**Subject: UN Security Council Sanctions Against Democratic People's Republic Of Korea**

**To: All Port Users**

This port circular draws attention to the latest United Nations Security Council Resolutions (UNSCRs) 2087 (2013) and 2094 (2013), which impose sanctions on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) in addition to those detailed in UNSCRs 1718 (2006) and 1874 (2009).

In particular, attention is drawn to paragraphs 16, 17 and 22 of UNSCR 2094 (2013), reproduced below:

16. *Decides* that all States shall inspect all cargo within or transiting through their territory that has originated in the DPRK, or that is destined for the DPRK, or has been brokered or facilitated by the DPRK or its nationals, or by individuals or entities acting on their behalf, if the State concerned has credible information that provides reasonable grounds to believe the cargo contains items the supply, sale, transfer, or export of which is prohibited by resolutions 1718 (2006), 1874 (2009), 2087 (2013), or this resolution, for the purpose of ensuring strict implementation of those provisions;

17. *Decides* that, if any vessel has refused to allow an inspection after such an inspection has been authorized by the vessel's flag State, or if any DPRK-flagged vessel has refused to be inspected pursuant to paragraph 12 of resolution 1874 (2009), all States shall deny such a vessel entry to their ports, unless entry is required for the purpose of an inspection, in the case of emergency or in the case of return to its port of origination, and decides further that any State that has been refused by a vessel to allow an inspection shall promptly report the incident to the Committee;

22. *Calls upon* and allows all States to prevent the direct or indirect supply, sale or transfer to or from the DPRK or its nationals, through their territories or by


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their nationals, or using their flag vessels or aircraft, and whether or not originating in their territories of any item if the State determines that such item could contribute to the DPRK's nuclear or ballistic missile programmes, activities prohibited by resolutions 1718 (2006), 1874 (2009), 2087 (2013), or this resolution, or to the evasion of measures imposed by resolutions 1718 (2006), 1874 (2009), 2087 (2013), or this resolution, and directs the Committee to issue an Implementation Assistance Notice regarding the proper implementation of this provision;

In particular, ship supply services – the provision of bunker oil or any other supply, provision or service, other than basic provisions for the crew - must not be provided to any DPRK ship in an ADPC port where there are reasonable grounds to believe the vessel is carrying designated items in contravention of the above mentioned UNSCRs.

Port users are invited to take note of this circular and to ensure that they abide by the provisions of UNSCRs related to the DPRK. Copies of UNSCRs may be obtained from <http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/>.

Any queries relating to this circular should be directed by email to APDC Port Regulations and Compliance Department ([regulations@adpc.ae](mailto:regulations@adpc.ae)).



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