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# EXEMPTIONS GRANTED FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL MARITIME DANGEROUS GOODS (IMDG) CODE

## Communication received from the Government of Chile

- The Maritime Safety Committee, at its seventy-seventh session (28 May to 6 June 2003), agreed that the unified interpretation, set forth in the annex to MSC/Circ.1075, contained appropriate guidance for the competent authorities acting in accordance with chapter 7.9 of the IMDG Code when granting exemptions not specifically covered under the approvals, permits, certificates and other authorizations already provided for by the provisions of chapter 7.9.
- A communication has been received from the Government of Chile concerning exemptions authorized under the provisions of part A, paragraph 1 of MSC/Circ.1075.
- 3 In accordance with the provisions of part A, paragraph 3.1 of MSC/Circ.1075, the above-mentioned communication is circulated to SOLAS Contracting Governments for their information and appropriate action, if any.

# **Translation**

Letter, dated 14 March 2012, from the Alternate Permanent Representative of Chile to IMO, addressed to the Secretary-General, with two copies of an exemption certificate

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Ref.: Chile — DMSO Decision No. 12600/645 of 3 August 2011

Dear Sir,

Please find attached an exemption certificate for the carriage of dangerous goods by sea, issued by the Directorate-General for Maritime Territory and Merchant Marine of the Republic of Chile, for the company PESQUERA PACIFIC STAR S.A., for the processing and export of fishmeal (fishscrap), stabilized, antioxidant treated (antioxidant not specified in IMDG Code), class 9, UN No.2216.

Please accept, Sir, the expression of my highest esteem.

[Signed] Capt. Jorge Imhoff CHILEAN NAVY

DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR MARITIME TERRITORY AND MERCHANT MARINE DEPARTMENT FOR MARITIME SECURITY AND OPERATIONS (DMSO)
MARITIME POLICE AND RISK PREVENTION
DIVISION FOR RISK PREVENTION AND DANGEROUS CARGOES

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EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE FOR THE CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY SEA

DMSO DECISION ORD. No. 12600/645

#### 1 REFERENCE

Issued under chapter VII of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), Annex III of the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) and chapter 7.9.1.1 and special provisions 945, 907 and 308 of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code.

#### 2 COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PESQUERA PACIFIC STAR S.A. Ruta V-815 KM 5.2 Sector Panitao Alto Puerto Montt CHILE

#### 3 DECISION

Fishing company PESQUERA PACIFIC STAR S.A. is **APPROVED** for processing and exporting of FISHMEAL (FISHSCRAP), STABILIZED, antioxidant treated (antioxidant not specified in IMDG Code), class 9, UN No. 2216.

## 4 APPROVAL CONDITIONS

- (a) The antioxidant to be used (not specified in the IMDG Code) shall be of natural origin and shall be a mixture containing tocopherols and lecithin.
- (b) During the manufacturing process, a minimum of 1,000 ppm of the natural antioxidant shall be applied and its concentration during shipment shall not be less than 250 ppm. Not more than 12 months may elapse between the application and the date of shipment.
- (c) Each shipment of fishmeal shall be accompanied by a copy of this approval, which shall be made available whenever a competent authority requires it.
- (d) The present approval does not exempt the above-mentioned company from complying with the rest of the provisions established in the IMDG Code which are required for the carriage of stabilized fishmeal by sea.

5 This decision is to be **communicated** and **published** and a copy **provided** to the International Maritime Organization.

Issued in Valparaíso on 3 August 2011 Valid until 3 August 2016

[Signed] Rear Admiral Iván Valenzuela Bosne Director

# Copies:

- 1. P. PACIFIC STAR S.A.
- 2. IFOP (Inf.)
- 3. DGMTMM (Reg. and Public.)(No. 760379)
- 4. GM (V) (Inf.)
- 5. GM (SNO) (Inf.)
- 6. GM (T) (Inf.)
- 7. IMO (lnf.) (No.760377)
- 8. Archive

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