[PPA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 10-99, October 14, 2000]

CARGO HANDLING RATES FOR BAGGED AND FROZEN CARGOES AND STANDBY TIME CHARGES

1. Authority

- 1.1 Section 20 of P.D. 857
- 1.2 PPA Board Resolution No. 99-665
- **2. Scope -** This order shall cover cargo handling rates for (a) all bagged and frozen non-palletized/non-containerized fish cargoes discharged from/loaded onto vessels berthed/moored at the South Harbor or Manila International Container Terminal; and (b) standby charges on conventional cargoes.
- **3. Objective** In order to minimize delays attributable to the fault of importers or consignees and rationalize the handling rates for bagged and frozen cargoes and charges for standby time.

4. Definition of Terms

- 4.1 Bagged Cargoes refer to homogenous cargoes packed in sacks or bags, not palletized nor containerized which are loaded onto or discharged from a vessel manually (ex. soda ash in sacks and cement in bags).
- 4.2 Frozen Cargoes refer to frozen fish unpacked or in cartons/packages not palletized nor containerized, loaded onto or discharged from a refrigerated vessel manually (ex. frozen fish unpacked in cartons).
- 4.3 Standby Time refers to the unproductive hours incurred by a deployed gang on account of factors not through the fault of the cargo handler as enumerated in 6.3 hereof.
- 4.4 *Productivity* refers to total tonnage handled net of total standby time.
- **5. New Rates** Cargo handling rates for bagged and frozen cargoes and standby charges are, as follows:

	Cargo Charges Arrastre	Vessel Charge Stevedoring
5.1 Bagged Cargoes5.2 Frozen Cargoes	P126/RT	P108/RT
5.2.1 Unpacked Fish 5.2.2 Fish In Cartons	P522/RT P348/RT	P370/RT P247/RT