NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment

This is to advise that on **July 25, 2008**, Melford International Terminal Inc. registered the proposed **Melford International Terminal** for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act*. The proposed project also requires an environmental assessment in accordance with the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*. Both environmental assessment processes are currently underway and copies of all comments submitted to the province will also be forwarded to the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency, Atlantic Region.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to construct and operate a container terminal and associated facilities in the Melford Industrial Reserve, about 10km southeast of Port Hawkesbury, Nova Scotia. It is anticipated that construction will commence, pending regulatory approvals, in the fall of 2008. Construction will last for approximately two and a half years. Start up and operation of the facility is scheduled for the spring 2011.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Municipality of the District of Guysborough, 46 Main Street, Guysborough, NS
- Mulgrave Town Office, 457 McLeod Street , Mulgrave, NS
- Clean Nova Scotia, 126 Portland Street, Dartmouth, NS
- Ecology Action Centre, 2705 Fern Lane, Halifax, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, Antigonish District Office, 155 Main Street, Suite 205, Antigonish, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, 5th Floor Library, 5151 Terminal Road, Halifax, NS
- EA website (when available) at http://www.gov.ns.ca/nse/ea

The public is invited to submit written comments to: Environmental Assessment Branch Nova Scotia Environment

P.O. Box 442, Halifax, NS, B3J 2P8

on or before August 24, 2008 or contact the department by phone at (902) 424-3230, by fax at (902) 424-0503, or by e-mail at EA@gov.ns.ca.

All comments received, including any personal information, will be placed in the public file located in the library on the fifth floor of the Nova Scotia Environment, Halifax Office, 5151 Terminal Road.

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