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TO: ALL PRE-SHIPMENT INSPECTION AGENTS (PIAs),
MONITORING AND EVALUATION AGENTS (MEAs),
AUTHORIZED DEALERS,
NIGERIA CUSTOMS SERVICES (NCS),
EXPORTERS,
THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

DEPLOYMENT OF THE PRE-SHIPMENT INSPECTION AGENTS (PIA) PORTAL ON STAKEHOLDER VERIFICATION PORTAL (SVP)

This is to inform all Pre-Shipment Inspection Agents (PIAs), Monitoring and Evaluation Agents (MEAs), Authorized Dealers, Nigerian Customs Service (NCS), Exporters and the General Public of the deployment of the PIA Portal on the Stakeholder Verification Portal (SVP).

Accordingly, PCIs/CCIs shall be electronically generated on the Stakeholder Verification Portal (SVP), with effect from March 01, 2023.

Consequently, all Authorized Dealers are required to ensure as follows:

1. That the processing of PCIs/CCIs by Pre-Shipment Inspection Agents (PIAs) will be done electronically on Stakeholder Verification Portal (SVP) at <https://svp.tradesystem.gov.ng>;

2. That Exporters complete the Request for Information (RFI) form in accordance with the provisions of Extant Regulations via a link generated and sent via email by Stakeholder Verification Portal (SVP);
3. Exporters are to pay the NESS levy advised by the Pre-Shipment Inspection Agents (PIAs) on the PCIs/CCIs documents;
4. All e-NXPs established from March 01, 2023 be accompanied by electronic PCIs/CCIs;
5. All NXPs opened prior to March 01, 2023 for which shipment has not taken place nor CCIs issued would also follow the new process;
6. All Authorized Dealer Banks are enjoined to inform their customers of this development for compliance.

Please ensure strict compliance.



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R.A. MAIKAI

FOR: DIRECTOR

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