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Notice to the Area Port of New Orleans Trade Community

Date: August 17, 2023 No: 23-024

<u>SUBJECT:</u> Vessel Entrance and Clearance System Pilot Industry Training Event on Thursday September 21, 2023 – Registration Information

Attached is the registration flyer for the CBP Vessel Entrance and Clearance System [VECS] vessel agent training in New Orleans, LA.

An ACE Top Account and an ACE Vessel Agent Account is needed for VECS.

Vessel Agents should register for this event as follows:

- 1. Scan the QR code on the attached flyer, or
- 2. Register via the link below:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/vecs-pilot-training-new-orleans-la-tickets-697218327787?aff=oddtdtcreator.

Please note that this event will not be available for registration until August 20, 2023, at 11:00 PM, as Eventbrite has a limit on how far in advance tickets can be published.

Direct questions or concerns to Chief Denise Emmer at <u>denise.emmer@cbp.dhs.gov</u> or via telephone at (504) 670-2052.

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