

PORT BOTANY – UPDATE ON PORT ACTIVITIES
1 October 2008

THIS WEEK (Monday 29 September 2008 to Sunday 5 October 2008)

STEVEDORES

<p><u>Vessel Activity</u> Average number of vessel movements scheduled over the next 7 days. 36 forecast vessel movements on weekdays. 16 forecast vessel movements on weekend.</p>
<p><u>Landside Activity</u> High volumes expected at the container terminals over the next 7 days. We encourage you to use night and weekend vehicle booking slots for greater efficiency. Please refer to the Sydney Ports Cargo Facilitation Committee Holiday Arrangements Notice for opening hours during the Labour Day Weekend.</p>

EMPTY CONTAINER PARKS

<p><u>Capacity</u> Empty container park capacity for Sydney metropolitan area: 60% (15 Sep 2008) Forecast evacuation rate of empty containers to container terminals: 9,500 TEU</p>
<p><u>Notices to Industry</u> Please refer to the Sydney Ports Cargo Facilitation Committee Holiday Arrangements Notice for opening hours during the Labour Day Weekend.</p>

LAST WEEK (Monday 22 September 2008 to Sunday 28 September 2008)

<p><u>Wharfside Performance</u> Port Botany container throughput: 38,800 TEU (81% road, 19% rail) Empty containers evacuated: TBC. 55 vessel movements undertaken over the week.</p>	
<p><u>Landside Performance (DP World)</u> Truck turnaround time (av.): 58 min VBS slots used (weekday): 95% VBS slots used (weeknight): TBC VBS slots used (weekend): 42% Rail on-time performance: Not recorded</p>	<p><u>Landside Performance (Patrick)</u> Truck turnaround time (av.): 68 min VBS slots used (weekday): 95% VBS slots used (weeknight): 91% VBS slots used (weekend): 69% Rail on-time performance: 75%</p>
<p><u>Empty Container Movement Performance</u> Empty container park capacity for Sydney metropolitan area: 60% (15 Sep 2008) Actual evacuation rate of empty containers to container terminals: TBC</p>	