

8 December 2021

Dear Port Users

RE: Zimbabwean Exemption Permit (ZEP) Permit Holder Port Permit Applications (Amended)

This notice serves to inform our customers and Port users of the announcement made by Director General: Department of Home Affairs on the 29th November 2021.

The DG: DHA indicated that "... applicants who are in possession of a ZEP expiring on the 31 December 2021 must be allowed to continue with their services, provided they submit proof of application for a main stream visa in terms of the Immigration Act and Immigration Regulations. Proof of application must be the VFS Receipts"

To this end, the Transnet National Ports Authority (TNPA) has decided that all Port access permits issued to ZEP permit holders (expiring 31 December 2021) will be renewed **on application** and submission of VFS receipts must form part of their Port Permit Applications. Approved applications will extend their permits for a period of 3 months only or until their Immigration application has been concluded.

Your continued support in this process is greatly appreciated. For any additional queries, please email the Port Security Manager or his delegate at TNPACPTPortPermit@Transnet.net or telephone the security control room on (021) 449 4111/4123/2119.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Arshaad Fester", written over a horizontal line.

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