U.S. CUSTOMS & BORDER PROTECTION PORT INFORMATION NOTICE – TRADE

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SUBJECT: Southbound Gate Dedicated for the Processing of Empty Conveyances

DISTRIBUTION: Calexico and Mexicali Trade Community

In response to interest from the Calexico and Mexicali Trade Community for a southbound gate dedicated to the facilitation of empty conveyances, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Cargo Facility will implement a 60-day pilot program dedicating an additional southbound gate for the processing of empty conveyances.

Effective immediately, CBP will open an additional southbound gate Monday through Friday, between the hours of 12:00 pm and 4:00 pm. The pilot program, concludes March 17, 2023, will serve as means to assess the need of maintaining an additional dedicated lane during the aforementioned hours, extension of those hours or a return to the original hours of 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm.

There will be no changes to other previously approved hours of operation.

We appreciate your assistance in disseminating this information to your clients. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact my staff at (760) 768-2347/2348.

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