



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE- SECURITY PROCEDURES

Security of our port facilities, vessels, workers and cargo from incidents that may harm people or property is an individual responsibility. Access to this facility requires that you understand the current security requirements, be willing to submit to verification of your identity and status, and report suspicious activity to the appropriate authority. Access may also require additional screening of you, your passengers, your vehicle and/or any goods and materials that you may be transporting on to, or off of, this installation. Failure to cooperate will result in denial of entry, and possible detention for the appropriate authorities.

Maritime Security Levels

Maritime Security (MARSEC) levels means the level set to reflect the prevailing threat environment to the elements of the marine transportation system. MARSEC Level 1 establishes minimum-security requirements for a facility, vessel, or other infrastructure component critical to the system. Levels 2 and 3 impose increasing security requirements. MARSEC security levels are posted prominently at the entrances to each facility as well as at the entrances to the port. Access to maritime facilities requires absolute adherence to the requirements imposed at each level.

MARSEC Level 1

MARSEC Level 1 is the minimum-security level.

- You are required to provide verifiable government-issued photo identification. You will not be admitted without this document.
- You are required to state the purpose and expected duration of your visit; provide documentation of the purpose (eg: work orders, bill of lading or meeting notice, etc.) as appropriate; and identify the contact person within the facility.
- By seeking entry to the facility you are consenting to screening and even a search of your vehicle, cargo, etc.
- You will be provided with a visitor badge/identification, which you must wear in plain sight at all times in the facility.
- You will remain clear of all areas marked "**Restricted Area.**" Intrusion into these areas may result in immediate removal from the entire premises and/or detention by law enforcement authorities.
- You may be required to await an escort to your destination.



MARSEC Level 2

MARSEC Level 2 is a heightened state of security directed by appropriate law enforcement agencies. In addition to the requirements of MARSEC Level 1, the following conditions may apply:

- You may be denied access to the facility without further explanation.
- You will be denied access if you do not have a verifiable destination.
- You may be required to utilize a restricted access point.
- You may be subject to a personal search; as well as a search of your vehicle, passengers, and/or cargo.

MARSEC Level 3

MARSEC Level 3 is the highest level of security alert. In addition to the requirements of MARSEC Levels 1 & 2, the following conditions may apply:

- Routine operations at the facility may be suspended.
- The facility may be closed until further notice.
- Access may be limited only to emergency personnel, law enforcement, or responders.
- Pedestrian or vehicular access may be restricted.
- Access will require cooperation with emergency responders.

Emergency and Evacuation Procedures

Emergency and evacuation procedures are posted prominently throughout the terminal. Maps and signs indicating evacuation routes are also posted and available from security personnel. In the event of a declared emergency, follow those procedures and the instructions of terminal security or law enforcement personnel. **DO NOT INTERFERE** with response personnel or activities.



**REPORT ANY
SUSPICIOUS
ACTIVITY!!**

Call the Port Authority Police at:

1-800-828-7273

**DO NOT TAKE ACTION
YOURSELF!**

