

Advisory to Shipping No. A-45-2021

December 15, 2021

TO : All Shipping Agents, Owners, and Operators
SUBJECT: Scheduled Lane Outage at Miraflores and Gatun Locks

Beginning at 0600 hours on Monday, December 20, 2021, until 1800 hours (**12 hours**), the **West Lane** of Miraflores Locks will be out of service for scheduled locomotive track repairs. Concurrently, beginning at 1600 hours December 20, 2021, until 0400 hours December 21, 2021 (**12 hours**), the **East Lane** of Gatun Locks will be out of service to perform locomotive track repairs.

Although Condition 1.a for the Panamax locks will remain in effect, it is necessary to adjust the number of available slots for this date. As a result, the auctioned slot for vessels under 27.74m (91 feet) in beam, as well as the auctioned slot for vessels under 32.61 meters (107 feet) in beam and less than 294.44 meters (965 feet) in length overall, will not be offered for Monday, **December 20, 2021**. The slots for Neopanamax vessels will remain unchanged during this period. The Just-in-Time Transit service slots for supers will remain at one per direction.

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