

Tariff Determination Statement

28 March 2014

Tariff Application by the National Ports Authority for the Tariff Year 2014/2015

- 1. On 13 September 2013 The National Ports Authority ("the NPA") applied to the Ports Regulator of South Africa for approval of the tariffs for services and facilities offered by the NPA for the period 1 April 2014 to 31 March 2015.
- After considering the application and the submissions by all stakeholders during the consultation period, the Ports Regulator has declined the proposed average 14.39% tariff increase.
- 3. After considering all relevant information at its disposal the Regulator concluded that the following tariff book adjustments are appropriate for the tariff year 2014/15.
- 4. Specific tariffs:
 - I. All cargo dues to increase by 5.90%, with the exception of the following tariffs:
 - II. An 8.15% tariff increase in Dry Bulk Cargo Dues for Coal, Iron Ore and Manganese, and
 - III. An 8.15% tariff increase on all Marine Services and related tariffs, which would include sections 1-8 of the tariff book excluding section 7 which deals with cargo dues and is addressed in I and II above.
- 5. The Record of Decision will be published on the Ports Regulator website in due course

Signed at <u>CAPE TOWN</u> on the <u>75</u> day of March 2014.

Dr/ Grove' Steyn

Chairman of the Regulatory Committee

Algned av JOHANNESBURG on the 28th day of March 2014.

Mrs Gloria Tomatoe Serobe

Ports Regulator of South Africa

Chairman of the Ports Regulator of South Africa.