CORONA VIRUS LOCKDOWN: REGULATIONS ON PORTS
FACT SHEET

The boarding and disembarking of certain persons at our sea ports are prohibited.

- No passengers or crew changes are permitted in the designated ports until further notice.
- Boarding and disembarking of passengers are suspended at all sea ports except for:
    - A returning South African citizen and a permanent resident.
    - Boarding of a departing foreign national.
    - Emergency medical evacuation.
- South African citizens and permanent residents are advised to refrain from using this mode of travel until further notice.
- South African citizens returning to the country will be quarantined for two weeks before being allowed to go home.
- The loading and off-loading of cargo in and out of all sea ports is permitted.
- Mass gatherings in sea ports are prohibited until further notice.
- Members of the public are urged to contact the National Ports Authority on +27 11 351 9001

We have prioritised improving hygiene control and sterilisation facilities on ships.

- Hygiene control and sterilisation facilities on ships, sea ports and port facilities operated by licenced operators will be improved.
- These include off-shore cargo handling facility, port repair facilities, provider of port services, port terminals and terminal operations.
- The Port Authority and licenced port operators are expected to provide adequate facilities for washing of hands and sanitisation equipment centres at all entrances and exits at sea port.
- All persons entering our ports will be screened for COVID-19.
- Security and screening personnel must be provided with appropriate safety gear and equipment.

A reporting, tracking, tracing and monitoring system has been implemented at our ports.

- The Port Authority shall support the national tracing and monitoring system.
- The Port Authority must register all cases of COVID-19 and report them to the National Institute for Communicable Diseases.

- The Port Authority must keep a register of all personnel boarding a vessel for purposes providing a service to that vessel.