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**To:** CSO Vessel Agents  
**From:** C. Steinweg Oman LLC (CSO)  
**Subject:** Addendum CSO Berthing Criteria – Clause 4.8 / CSO Published Tariff  
**Reference:** CSO/MO/2025/11/09

Dear valued relation,

We would like to inform you that Clause 4.8 'Berthing Criteria' of the CSO Published Tariff has been amended with immediate effect. Under the revised clause, the Notice of Readiness (NOR) may now be tendered upon arrival at Sohar Port Limits. Previously, the NOR could only be tendered after arrival at anchorage. Clause 4.8 shall now read as follows:

### 4.8 Berthing Criteria

The Notice of Readiness (NOR) tendered by Vessels, and communicated by the Vessel Agents, is leading to determine the berthing order at the Operator.

Once a berth (for the specific commodity) and the Operator's resources are available, vessels will be served on a first come first serve basis, the below berthing criteria are applicable. **Please note that the Operator reserves the right to deviate from the berthing criteria outlined below should operational circumstances require it.**

SN.	CRITERIA	NOTES
1	NOTICE OF READINESS	NOR can only be tendered <b>after arriving at Sohar Port Limits.*</b>
2	FINAL CONFIRMATION (GO/NO GO)	A final confirmation from the Vessel Agent to the Operator that the vessel actually wishes to berth.
3	CARGO & DOCUMENTS READINESS	Cargo Readiness is applicable in case of export.
4	COMMERCIAL APPROVAL	Commercial approval by Operator is required to berth the vessel.

(\*) the Operator can request the Vessel Agent and/or SIPC to provide the official timestamp of arrival at Sohar Port Limits, as registered by SIPC.

In case a Vessel has arrived at port limits and tendered NOR, it is allowed to leave port limits temporarily (e.g. for bunkering purposes) as long as it is ready to berth immediately once the Operator communicates its berthing schedule. In case the Vessel is not ready at such moment, the original NOR will not be accepted by the Operator and a new NOR needs to be tendered.

The above amended clause has been published on our website <https://www.steinweg.com/countries/oman/> as an official addendum to the CSO Published Tariff.

Thank you for your cooperation and continued trust.

Kind regards,

  
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