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Canaveral Port Authority Tenants:

In the event of an approaching hurricane, the U.S. Coast Guard will activate a safety zone (33 CFR 165.720) requiring:

- At Hurricane Port Condition YANKEE, no vessel, regardless of size or service, will be allowed to transit through the Port Canaveral Barge Canal; and
- Persons and vessels desiring to enter, transit through, anchor in, or remain in Port Canaveral may contact the Captain of the Port Jacksonville or a designated representative. If authorization is granted, all persons and vessels receiving such authorization must comply with the instructions of the Captain of the Port Jacksonville or a designated representative.

The Brevard County Sheriff's Office is the U.S. Coast Guard designated representative authorized to enforce this federal safety zone for vessels less than 500 gross tons. Owners or operators of vessels in violation of this safety zone may be subject to a civil penalty, not to exceed \$40,000 per day, for each violation of the safety zone.

In addition to any requirements of the CPA tariff and related lease terms, and prior to the setting of Hurricane Port Condition YANKEE, all vessels, regardless of size or service, must evacuate from, or be removed from, the waters of Port Canaveral. The owner or operator of any vessel requesting to remain in the waters of Port Canaveral must request approval from the Brevard County Sheriff's Office, the designated representative of U.S. Coast Guard Sector Jacksonville for safety zone enforcement. Please contact the BCSO Seaport Security Manager, Deputy John Brady, at [john.brady@bcso.us](mailto:john.brady@bcso.us) for more information.

Please refer any questions to myself at 321-394-3479 or via email at [bcompagnoni@portcanaveral.com](mailto:bcompagnoni@portcanaveral.com).

Thank you for your continued support and assistance.

Sincerely,

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