



July 8, 2021

Prohibition to Transport Highly Toxic/Other Dangerous Chemicals in Yangtze River Basin

Dear Valued Customers,

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

HMM would like to inform our customers that “The Yangtze River Protection Law” became effective 1st March, 2021. Therefore, “highly toxic chemicals” and “other dangerous chemicals”, which are stipulated in the Articles of the Law, are not allowed to be transported by inland river in the Yangtze River Basin.

The above chemicals are forbidden to not only enter/leave, but also to transit and transfer this area, including the Shanghai section of the Yangtze River Basin. A fine or other penalty will be imposed for the violation.

In this regard, please note that timely submission of CAS Number and MSDS is required for smooth booking process and transportation. Please refer to the following for details:

■ **Effective Date** : 1st March 2021

■ **Subject** :

- i) All Chemicals to be discharged/loaded, transshipped and ROB (Remain On Board) at Shanghai WGQ terminal
- ii) All Chemicals to be discharged at Shanghai Yangshan terminal to enter the Yangtze river, or vice versa
- iii) All Chemicals to be discharged at the port of Ningbo to enter the Yangtze river, or vice versa

■ **Requirement** : MSDS (All CAS Numbers stated in the MSDS should be provided and be referenced)

[Attachment] 1. Notice of Shanghai MSA

2. Prohibition List (EN)

Should you have any inquiries, please contact your sales representative in HMM local office.

Sincerely,