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The General Manager of the Cameroon National Shippers' Council (CNSC) hereby reminds shippers, ship-owners, forwarding agents and other business persons that in keeping with the provisions of Article 4 of Ministerial order No.00557/MINT of 11 July 2006 to institute the Electronic Cargo Tracking Note (ECTN) as amended and supplemented by order No.000289/MINT of 5 March 2007, the ECTN is established online and effectively issued **no later than 48 hours before the ship arrives at a Cameroon port.**

In this light, the CNSC will, on **19 June, 3 and 17 July 2018**, organise and host awareness raising and training sessions on *"the procedure for obtaining the ECTN, on time and at the regulatory fees, through Agents mandated by the CNSC at the ports of loading."* The sessions to be held in the CNSC Conference Hall on the 11th floor will start at 10a.m.prompt.

Effective **from 1 August 2018**, any shipper who fails to comply with this provision shall incur a **penalty equal to 150% of the ECTN value.**