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**Kwai Tsing Container Terminals support and encourage front-line workers to receive the 3rd Dose of COVID-19 Vaccine**

Members of the Hong Kong Container Terminal Operators Association (HKCTOA) have been implementing various measures to encourage front-line workers to get vaccination, and thanks to their support and dedication, 98% of the front-line workers have been vaccinated by end of October 2021.

To better protect the well-being of the front-line port workers and in response to the Government's latest anti-pandemic measures, starting from 15 November 2021, terminal operators will arrange those vaccinated front-line workers to take a COVID-19 test every three days, while the remaining will take the test every day.

Besides, terminal operators will continue to support the Government's new vaccination programme by facilitating the implementation of the third dose of COVID-19 vaccine for relevant front-line workers who may board ocean-going vessels when handling the cargoes. Terminal operators will strive to have their front-line workers to take the third dose of vaccine in order to maintain a safe working environment for all the people in the container terminals, maintain smooth operations of the port, and help protect the community. The port sector will continue to stay vigilant and take all kinds of precautionary measures during the course of delivering port services.

Since the outbreak of the pandemic, the Port of Hong Kong has been playing a vital role in maintaining the smooth flow of food, daily necessities, medical supplies and other goods into the city. We will continue to do our utmost to protect the way of life of Hong Kong people.

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### **葵青貨櫃碼頭支持及鼓勵前線員工接種第三劑新冠病毒疫苗**

香港貨櫃碼頭營運商協會 ( HKCTOA ) 成員一直採取多項措施鼓勵前線員工接種疫苗。通過這些措施和有賴前線員工的支持和付出，截至 2021 年 10 月底，超過98%在葵涌貨櫃碼頭工作的前線員工已經接種疫苗。

為進一步保護碼頭前線員工的健康，並回應政府當局最新的防疫措施，由2021年11月15日起，葵青貨櫃碼頭將為已接種疫苗的前線員工安排每三天接受檢測一次，其他則每天都需要接受檢測。

另外，葵青貨櫃碼頭將繼續配合政府新的疫苗接種計劃，支持及鼓勵那些在貨櫃操作期間可能需要登上遠洋船的前線員工接種第三劑新冠病毒疫苗。貨櫃碼頭營運商會繼續致力鼓勵前線員工接種第三劑疫苗，為所有在貨櫃碼頭工作的人士維持一個安全的工作環境，同時維持港口運作暢順，並有助提高社區的保護。碼頭業界亦定當繼續保持警惕，在貨物操作過程中採取各種預防措施。

自疫情出現以來，香港港口在維持食品、生活必需品、醫療用品等日常物品等運輸一直發揮了至關重要的作用。葵青貨櫃碼頭會繼續盡最大努力保持香港人的生活免受影響。

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