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## GENERAL NOTICE

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### NOTICE 709 OF 2010

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (SAFE CONTAINERS) BILL, 2009 INTO PARLIAMENT

The Minister of Transport intends introducing the Merchant Shipping (Safe Containers) Bill, 2009("the Bill") in Parliament during the third term of 2010. The Bill was published for comments in Government Gazette Notice No. 32100 of 15 April 2009 for comments.

The object of the Bill is as follows:

**-To give effect to International Convention for Safe Containers; and to provide for matters connected therewith.**

Interested persons and institutions should forward their submissions on the draft Bill to the Secretary of Parliament on or before the 16 August 2010. Copies of the Bill can be obtained from;

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