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TO: Vessel Carriers, Brokers, Importers, Owners, Agents, and Other interested Parties

SUBJECT: APHIS User Fee Increase

Effective November 1, 2009, the APHIS user fee for commercial vessels will increase from \$494.00 to \$544.00 and the APHIS user fee for commercial aircraft will increase from \$70.75 to \$78.00.

Questions should be addressed to the Vessel Entrance and Clearance (VECS) Office at (843) 727-4162 or the VECS Supervisory Customs and Border Protection Officer (SCBPO) at (843) 727-4387 or (843) 297-3534.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert A. Fencel".

Robert A. Fencel
Area Port Director