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SUBJECT: Remote Location Filing (RLF) Final Rule and Grace Period for the Port of Arrival Immediate Release and Enforcement Determination (PAIRED) Entry Program

In Federal Register Notice (74 FR 69015) published on December 30, 2009, U. S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) published a Final Rule implementing Remote Location Filing regulations and removing regulations for the PAIRED Entry Program (19 CFR 141.63(c)). This notice is to inform you that CBP will allow a grace period of one year for the PAIRED Entry Program due to limitations of the RLF Filing Program. The PAIRED Entry Program will end on January 22, 2011.

This delay will allow a transitional period for members of the trade community to continue to participate in and file entries in the PAIRED Entry Program. This transition period will also allow CBP to add other entry types and participating government agency (PGA) documents to the program which will result in an increased number of RLF participants. As additional entry types and PGA documents are added, we will disseminate the information.

Questions regarding this notice should be directed to Gail McMillen, Supervisory Entry Specialist at (904) 360-5057.

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