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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Trial Run of the Road Cargo System (ROCARS)
starting from 29 March 2010**

I write to inform you that the development of the ROCARS has now been completed. To allow industry stakeholders to familiarize with the use of ROCARS before the commencement of the 18-month transitional period, the Customs and Excise Department will start a trial run of the ROCARS from 1200 hours on 29 March 2010 (Monday). Thereafter, all the functions of the ROCARS will be available to the public. Real cargo data will be used in the Customs clearance process under ROCARS.

The formal commencement date of the 18-month transitional period will be announced shortly.

I would be most grateful if you could pass the information about the trial run to your members and encourage them to use the ROCARS as early as possible. Other information about ROCARS can be found at our website www.rocars.gov.hk. For enquiries, please call our hotline at 3669 0000.

Thank you again for your kind assistance in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

(Jim Kwok)
for Commissioner of Customs and Excise