



**U.S. Customs and
Border Protection**

November 14, 2016

Mr. John Rowan
Facility Manager & FSO
Penn Terminals, Inc.
One Saville Avenue
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Dear Mr. Rowan:

The Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (C-TPAT) is a voluntary initiative between U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) and private business to build relationships that strengthen international supply chains and improve U.S. border security. C-TPAT benefits include priority processing and reduced delays at the border.

Thank you for taking part in the C-TPAT revalidation of Penn Terminals, Inc.. Enclosed please find a copy of our report for your review and prompt reply. As noted in the executive summary, your company has demonstrated effective security within your own organization as well as a dedication to working with business partners to address supply chain security vulnerabilities that may exist. This work is the essence of C-TPAT, and CBP appreciates your commitment and cooperation.

In addition to verifying adherence to the practices outlined in your C-TPAT security profile, the revalidation is designed to build a stronger security partnership between Penn Terminals, Inc. and CBP. In that regard, I hope there was an opportunity for an exchange of ideas and “Best Practices” during the revalidation.

After review of the revalidation report for Penn Terminals, Inc., it has been determined your company has demonstrated effective security practices and continues to meet the current minimum security criteria for eligibility. Therefore, Penn Terminals, Inc. will retain its status as a C-TPAT certified member.

A prompt response to the report is due within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter. Please respond to the validation report through the C-TPAT Portal by selecting the appropriate trade account. When saving work, please ensure you select the “Save” button, and only use the “Submit” button when your entire response is ready for review. Upon receipt of the response, the assigned Supply Chain Security Specialist will review the response and contact you to address any questions. As part of the requirements and completion of the validation process, failure to provide a response to the report within the allocated 90-day time period may result in a suspension of program membership and benefits.

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If you have any questions regarding the findings or recommendations contained in the report, please contact Supply Chain Security Specialist Kerri Rooney, a member of my staff, at 908-994-3526. I appreciate the support Penn Terminals, Inc. has given to the C-TPAT and PIP programs and look forward to strengthening our partnership as we continue to work together to secure the international supply chain.

Sincerely,



Liz Schmelzinger
Director, C-TPAT
Office of Field Operations
U.S. Customs and Border Protection

Enclosure