REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

PORTS ACT [CAP 26]

Cruise Ships Landing Space
Order No.154 of 2025

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 27 and 30 of the Ports Act [CAP 26], I, the Honourable XAVIER EMMANUEL HARRY, Minister of Infrastructure and Public Utilities, make the following Order.

1 Declaration of Landing Space

(a) The sea front is declared as landing space for Cruise ships to anchor or berth.

(b) The Department of Ports and Harbour has engaged Knight Bridge & Tropical Agency to use its berthing facilities temporarily until the completion of the permanent berthing facility.

(c) The facilities provided by Knight Bridge & Tropical Agency must be safe and secured for access for the berthing facilities for tourists.

(d) The Ministry of Infrastructure and Public Utilities is responsible to design access to sea front for berthing of permanent cruise.

2 Period of Engagement

The Department of Ports and Harbour engaged the Knight Bridge and Tropical Agency to occupy the landing space at the sea front for a period of 6 months from the date in which this Order takes effect.

3 Charges

(a) The Knight Bridge and Tropical Agency is to charge fees to the Cruise Shipping lines for the uses of its facilities established temporarily at the sea front.

(b) The Department of Ports and Harbor is to waive a 50% port charges on Cruise Vessel berthing at the Sea front.

4 Commencement

This Order commences on 1 June 2025.

Made at Port Vila this 07 **day of** MAY **, 2025.**

Honourable XAVIER EMMANUEL HARRY
Minister of Infrastructure and Public Utilities

MINISTRY OF INFRASTRUCTURE & PUBLIC UTILITIES
PMB 9057
PORT VILA
VANUATU
TEL. 22790 / 33470
MINISTER