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Dear Sirs

**Rule 12g3-2 Exemptions for American Depository Receipts ("ADR")**  
**Neptune Orient Lines Limited**  
**File No. 82-2605**

NOL has today made an announcement in relation to the NOL Operating Performance for Period 5, 2009. Attached is a copy of the announcement for your attention, please.

Yours faithfully

Wong Kim Wah (Ms)  
Company Secretary

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Announcement Title *	NOL OPERATING PERFORMANCE FOR PERIOD 5, 2009
Description	Attached is the operating performance for the 4 weeks (Period 5) from 2 May 2009 to 29 May 2009.
<b>Attachments</b>	 NOL_Operating_Performance_for_P5_2009.pdf Total size = <b>34K</b> (2048K size limit recommended)

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**Monthly Operational Update (Unaudited)**



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NOL's container shipping operating performance for the 4 weeks (Period 5) from 2 May 2009 to 29 May 2009 are as follows:

	Period 5, 2009	Period 5, 2008	% Change		YTD 2009	YTD 2008	% Change
<b><u>Container Shipping</u></b>							
a) Volume (FEU)	159,100	201,700	(21)		798,400	1,067,600	(25)
b) Average Revenue Per FEU (US\$/FEU)	2,326	3,023	(23)		2,415	2,952	(18)

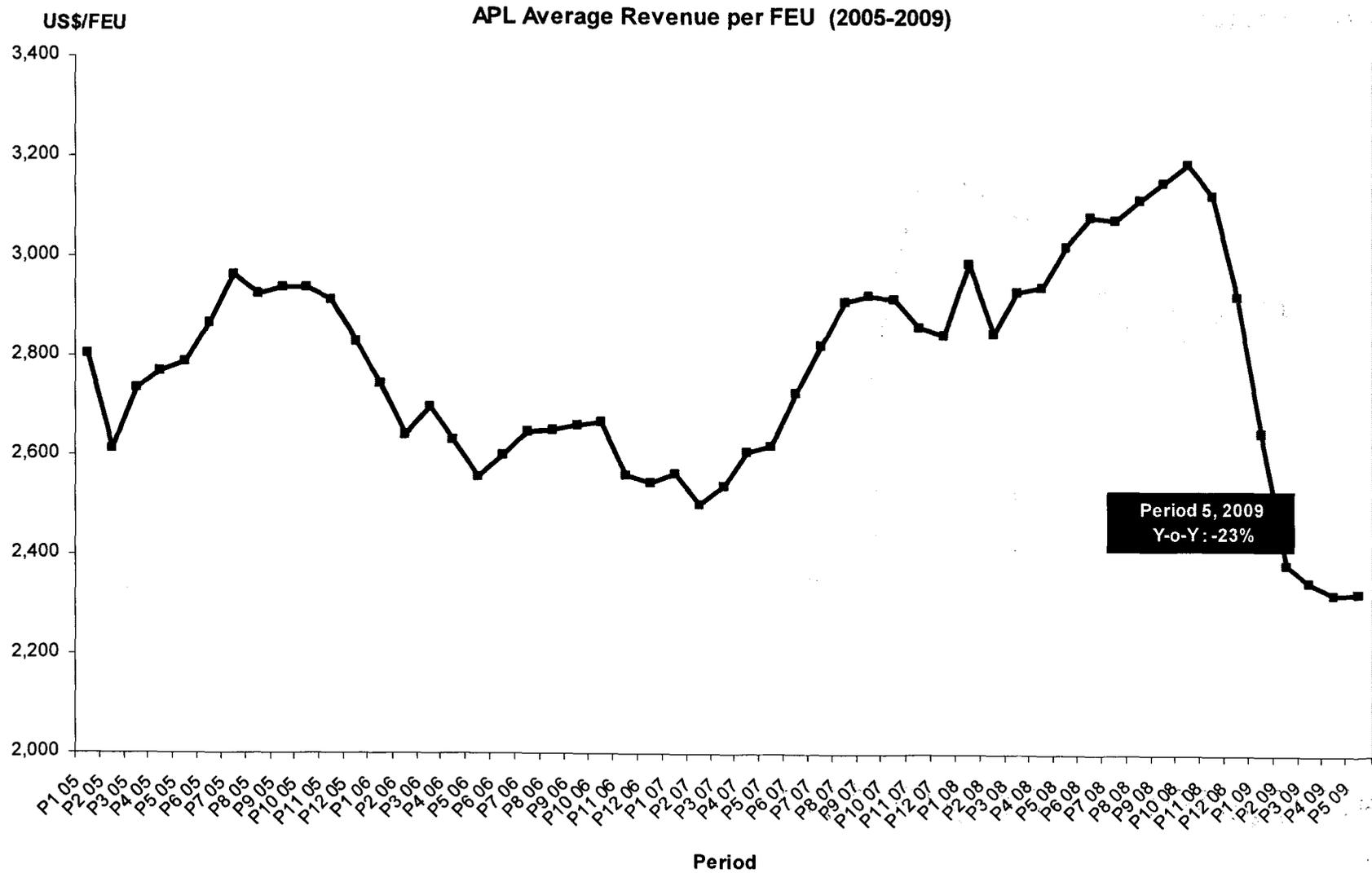
For the four weeks of P5, 2009, container shipping volumes declined 21% while average revenue per FEU (Forty-foot Equivalent Unit) declined 23% over the same period last year. The decrease in volume was due to the decline in demand on all major trade lanes. Lower average revenue per FEU was due to lower core freight rates and lower bunker recovery.

P5 YTD, 2009 container shipping volumes declined 25% while average revenue per FEU declined 18% over P5 YTD, 2008 levels.

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Note : Period 1 and Period 12 comprise 6 weeks per period while Periods 2 to 11 comprise 4 weeks per period.

**APL Average Revenue per FEU (updated as at Period 5, 2009)**





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**File No. 82-2605**

NOL has today made an announcement in relation to the Renounceable Underwritten Rights Issue: Despatch of Offer Information Statement and Application Forms. Attached is a copy of the announcement for your attention, please.

Yours faithfully

Wong Kim Wah (Ms)  
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**>> Announcement Details**  
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Announcement Title *	RENOUNCEABLE UNDERWRITTEN RIGHTS ISSUE: DESPATCH OF OFFER INFORMATION STATEMENT AND APPLICATION FORMS
Description	Please refer to the Company's announcement (attached) on the above subject.
Attachments	 OIS_Despatch_24Jun09.pdf Total size = <b>42K</b> (2048K size limit recommended)

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**NEPTUNE ORIENT LINES LIMITED**

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**RENOUNCEABLE UNDERWRITTEN RIGHTS ISSUE  
DESPATCH OF OFFER INFORMATION STATEMENT AND APPLICATION FORMS**

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*Capitalised terms used herein shall have the definitions ascribed to them in the Offer Information Statement (as defined herein). The full details of the Rights Issue are set out in the Offer Information Statement.*

**DESPATCH OF THE OFFER INFORMATION STATEMENT**

Neptune Orient Lines Limited ("**Company**") refers to its announcement dated 19 June 2009 in relation to the lodgement and despatch of the offer information statement in connection with the Rights Issue ("**Offer Information Statement**").

The Board of Directors of the Company wishes to announce that the Company has today despatched the Offer Information Statement to Entitled Depositors and Entitled Scripholders (collectively, "**Entitled Shareholders**"), together with a copy of the Application Form for Rights Shares and Excess Rights Shares ("**ARE**") and the Provisional Allotment Letter ("**PAL**"), as the case may be.

Entitled Shareholders who do not receive the Offer Information Statement together with the ARE or the PAL, as the case may be, on or around 29 June 2009 may obtain copies of the documents from CDP or the Share Registrar, as the case may be, at their respective addresses as follows:

CDP

The Central Depository (Pte) Limited  
4 Shenton Way  
#02-01 SGX Centre 2  
Singapore 068807

Share Registrar

B.A.C.S. Private Limited  
63 Cantonment Road  
Singapore 089758

Purchasers of the "nil-paid" Rights who do not receive the Application Form for Rights Shares ("**ARS**") and the Offer Information Statement may also obtain copies of the same from CDP (at the address stated above).

**IMPORTANT DATES AND TIMES**

Entitled Shareholders and Purchasers of the "nil-paid" Rights should take note of the important dates and times relating to the Rights Issue as announced by the Company on 19 June 2009 and as disclosed in the Offer Information Statement.

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Entitled Shareholders who wish to sell their "nil-paid" provisional allotments of Rights Shares ("**Rights Entitlements**") and prospective purchasers of the Rights Entitlements should also note that trading in the "nil-paid" Rights Entitlements will commence at 9.00 a.m. on 24 June 2009, and will end at 5.00 p.m. on 2 July 2009.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD  
**NEPTUNE ORIENT LINES LIMITED**

Wong Kim Wah (Ms)  
Company Secretary  
24 June 2009

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The issue, exercise or sale of rights and the acquisition or purchase of Rights Shares are subject to specific legal or regulatory restrictions in certain jurisdictions. The Company and the Joint Lead Managers and Underwriters assume no responsibility in the event there is a violation by any person of such restrictions.

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