

# CIRCULAR

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**CIRCULAR NO. 28/05**

**TO MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION**

**Dear Member:**

**SPANISH STEVEDORE STRIKE: OCTOBER 4-7, 2005: AN UPDATE**

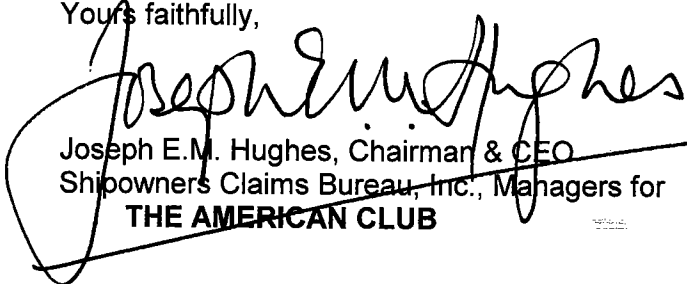
Reference is made to Circular 27/05 of September 30, 2005.

It now appears that Spanish stevedores have cancelled the three-day strike scheduled to take place from October 4 to October 7, 2005 in protest against the draft version of the Spanish Law of Maritime Navigation.

However, a four hours' strike in protest against the draft of the European Directive on Port Services will now take place on Thursday, October 6, 2005 as organized by the International Dockers Council.

Members are asked to be guided accordingly.

Yours faithfully,



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