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First Notice: Major Ship Arrival Notification System (SANS) Update

The U.S. Coast Guard is undertaking a significant IT modernization project for the Ship Arrival Notification System (SANS) used by the Maritime community for Notice of Arrivals & Departure (NOAD) submissions.

This will impact the “eNOAD Portal” and all other NOAD submission methods.

This project will make the Notice of Arrival submission process more efficient for mariners, while upgrading system security and resilience. It will also provide the U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, and Federal partners with enhanced visibility on maritime risks and threats in order to protect our Nation's ports and connected infrastructure.

The modernized SANS, and eNOAD submission process, is scheduled to be online for testing before December 31, 2026, with a full transition to the new system complete by March 2027. The modernization project will preserve backwards compatibility with current NOAD submission methods to the extent made possible by modern cybersecurity requirements.

A follow-on Notice will be published on the National Vessel Movement Center (NVMC) portal in 6 months, with more details on the project timeline and changes or actions required for the maritime public submitting NOADs.

For further information, please visit NVMC's [Contact Us](https://www.nvmc.uscg.gov/ContactUs.aspx) page (<https://www.nvmc.uscg.gov/ContactUs.aspx>).

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