

NOTICE FOR ISSUING ELECTRONIC INVOICE

For the purpose of providing high-quality and convenient services to overseas customers, reducing the administrative consumption caused by the dependence of the relevant parties on paper invoice, moreover, promoting the exchange of invoice information and the optimization of related procedures , please be kindly notified that China Classification Society (hereinafter referred as “CCS”) will provide electronic invoice since January 1, 2024, with the following details:

The electronic invoice issued by CCS has the same format and content as required by the paper invoice and contains a visible and printable electronic seal and digital signature of CCS. The electronic invoice issued by CCS is equally authentic as the paper invoice.

A URL, a Quick Response (QR) code and a unique tracking number (UTN, example I023-030190) are entered in the lower part of each invoice for verification of its validity; After receiving an electronic invoice, the customers can verify it through the URL, or can directly scan the QR code , enter the UTN code、invoice No. and captcha code to verify the validity of electronic invoice.

The invoice is electronically issued or endorsed, and could be downloaded or transmitted through internet.

Please provide the accurate e-mail address for receipting of the electronic invoice effectively.

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