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Initial report regarding the provisional measures prescribed by the Tribunal on 6 July 2019 in the M/T "San Padre Pio" case

Dear Mr. Registrar,

In accordance with the Order of the Tribunal of 6 July 2019 in the *M/T "San Padre Pio" case* ("the Order"), the Swiss Confederation hereby submits its initial report regarding the provisional measures prescribed by the Tribunal.

The Swiss Confederation has taken note of the provisional measures prescribed in paragraph 146 (a) and (b) of the Order. The Swiss Confederation is working expeditiously with a view to taking the necessary steps, on its side, with regard to the implementation of the measures. These steps involve various actors.

The Swiss Confederation undertakes to clarify outstanding issues and to provide the Tribunal with substantive information regarding the implementation of the provisional measures as soon as possible.

Respectfully yours,

Directorate of International Law

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Director

Agent of the Swiss Confederation