

Stevedoring & Shore-Handling Business Guide

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Produces a setup plan for a stevedoring and shore-handling business — licence, labour and equipment, safety, cargo-handling capability and contracts — a service-led port business. Use it to enter stevedoring.

Purpose of this tool & output

Start a stevedoring business

How the output is used

Use it to start a stevedoring business — the licence, labour, equipment and operations of shore cargo handling.

Important cautions

Stevedoring is a safety-critical, labour-intensive and licence-based port business with real injury and productivity and labour-relations risk. Confirm the licence and labour and safety requirements with the port authority and prioritise safety.

Companion documents

- Port / Terminal Setup & Concession Guide
- Cargo Handling Operations SOP
- Terminal Operations & Productivity Guide
- Port PPP & Concession Structuring Guide
- CFS / ICD / Warehouse Setup Guide
- Port & Terminal Safety Programme

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