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IICL'S SECOND REEFER COURSE OF 2008 TO BE HELD IN VALPARAISO, CHILE

Washington, DC—IICL will hold its second Refrigerated Container course of 2008 from 23 - 25 September, 2008 in Valparaiso, Chile. The first reefer course this year was held in February in Shanghai, China.

This 3 day course will offer intensive instruction of IICL reefer container inspection and repair guidelines. Other topics planned for the course will be drawn from the following: reefer body construction and machinery inspection. Depot sessions will provide practical demonstrations of principles discussed in class. The classroom session will be held at the Gala Hotel Vina del Mar and practical demonstration will be held at the AGUNSA Depot. The machinery presentation will also be conducted at the depot., where students will be able to view and participate in practical demonstrations of subjects as they are covered in the classroom.

The deadline for receipt at IICL of registrations and course tuition fees for the Valparaiso, Chile Reefer course is September 12th. The tuition fee is US \$1000.00, payable by credit card, teletransfer or with a check (must be drawn on a U.S. branch or affiliate of your bank). The tuition fee includes a copy of the pocket-size course textbook (*Guide for Refrigerated Container Inspection and Repair, 3rd edition*) and a Farewell Lunch.

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