KOLKATA PORT TRUST

No. Mrn/HMP/92/3/293

Harbour Master (Port)'s Office Date: 15.06.2018

All Concerned

Association of Shipping Interest in Calcutta

NOTICE

It may please be noted that shipping in this Port with long riverine channel having inherent navigational constraints, cannot be compared with any of the sea Ports and therefore, it is imperative that all vessels maintain required safety standards.

However, it is observed that some of the Agents at times are calling vessels with serious deficiencies in their machinery and equipment and compelling the Port authority in accepting such unsuitable vessels, compromising with the safety of the Port navigational channel.

Attention of all Shipping Agents, Owners, Operators, is drawn to the requisite minimum safety requirements as stipulated in the draft forecast and other notices displayed in the KoPT website.

Kolkata Port will not be bound to accept vessel with serious deficiencies and any delay, damage or loss arising out of such refusal shall solely rest with the Agent working on behalf of Owners / Operators.

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