



**SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA
HALDIA DOCK COMPLEX**

Office of General Manager (Traffic)
Jawahar Tower

No.: GMT/45/1087

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TRADE CIRCULAR

Sub.: General Policy for deployment of Floating Cranes at Sandheads and Point 'X' with the limit of SMP, Kolkata

Ref: Trade Circular No. GMT/45/1061 dated 06.09.2021

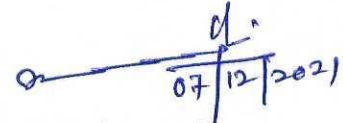
General Policy for deployment of Floating Cranes at Sandheads and Point 'X' with the limit of SMP, Kolkata was notified through Trade Circular No. GMT/45/1061 dated 06.09.2021 (copy enclosed). It has been felt prudent to review the same and, accordingly, the appropriate authority of SMP, Kolkata has decide to introduce two additional requirements to the said policy which are as follows:

1. Concerned Steamer Agents', at the time of indicating their vessel for booking of slots of Floating Cranes will have to deposit an amount of Rs. Seven (07) lakhs through their Revolving Deposit account maintained at KDS. Any false indication, which consequently deviate the ETA of the vessel beyond three (03) days, will lead to cancellation of her Floating Crane slots and deployment of the Floating Cranes to the vessel will be decided by SMP, Kolkata depending on the prevailing situation then. However, vessels adhering to their ETA within the indicated relaxation, will be allotted the Floating Cranes as per their turn. In either cases, the said deposit amount will be adjusted against the vessel related charges for the vessel.
2. Floating Crane Operators will not shift Floating Cranes from any vessel without the prior permission of SMP, Kolkata.

The above mandates are in addendum to the existing General Policy and will be applicable compositely.

All concerned are requested to be guided accordingly.

Encl: As stated.


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