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Sub: Temporary withdrawal of the policy of vessels calling on neaping priority and adoption of common calling at working berth for both geared and gearless container vessels for the period while KPD section is non-functional.

As decided by the Competent Authority of SMPK, calling of vessels under neaping priority (*Only such vessels those are arriving just on the last day when draft for calling is available and enjoying the neaping priority on the day of arrival itself*) is temporarily withdrawn till KPD lock remains non-functional for vessels/barges. During this period, if the affected container vessels call HDC for lighterage operation and then move to KDS after achieving draft, the shifting charge from HDC to KDS will be waived.

The Competent Authority has also decided that a common calling at working berth for both geared and gearless container vessels will be maintained as per their seniority for the period while KPD is non-functional.

The above decisions will take place with immediate effect.

All concerned may please be guided accordingly.


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