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CIRCULAR

All ships calling at Cochin Port are required to comply with DG Shipping Circular No. 06 of 2018, regarding utilization of Centralized Port Reception Facility Portal: SWACHH SAGAR (http://prf.irclass.net/anf). The link of the portal is available on DG Shipping website (www.dgshipping.gov.in), which can be used by Master/Owner/Manager/Agents of vessels. The portal is designed to capture the inventory of ship generated wastes on any ship on arriving at an Indian Port.

The Captain/Owner/Manager/Agent of each vessel calling Cochin Port is required to access the portal and fill up the required information irrespective of whether they require port reception facility or not. This is compulsory for both Indian and foreign flag vessels as per DG Shipping. Ships at anchorage should fill up details of ship generated waste every week.

If port reception facility is required, necessary advance notification (ANF) can be raised through this portal 48 hours prior arrival. The appropriate port approved vendor, date and time for waste removal can then be selected. On completion of collection, apart from handing over the shore reception receipt to the Master, a copy of the same will be uploaded by the vendor on the portal. Complaints can also be lodged regarding inadequacy of service. Manager (Marine Pollution Control) can be contacted at mmpc@cochinport.gov.in for any clarification.

DEPUTY CONSERVATOR

Encl: DG Shipping Circular No.6 of 2018

Copy to:
1. Secretary, Cochin Steamer Agents Association  
   (With request to circulate to all the members)
2. Empanelled Vendors for Waste reception as per list.
3. Harbour Master, CoPT