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Rationalisation of Tariff for Cruise Ships in India

The Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways (MoPSW) vide letter No. SW-15011/2/2020-MG (CN: 338503) dated 31.05.2021 had extended the rationalized tariff for Cruise Ships up to 13.08.2022 in order to provide support to the Cruise Shipping business, adversely affected by the second wave of COVID-19 pandemic. Now, MoPSW vide letter of even No. dated 02.08.2022 has decided to extend the rationalized tariff, as under, up to 30.09.2022.

- i. The Port charges for a Cruise Ship to be charged at \$0.085 per GRT (Fixed Rate) and \$5 per passenger (Head Tax) for the first 12 hours stay. Ports will not charge any other rates like Berth Hire, Port Dues, Pilotage, Passenger Fee, etc.
- ii. For the period exceeding 12 hours stay, the fixed charges on Cruise Ships will be equal to the Berth Hire charges payable as per Scale of Rates (with 40% discount as applicable for Cruise Ships).
- iii. Further, Cruise Ships making
 - a. 1-50 calls per year to get 10% rebate.
 - b. 51-100 calls per year to get 20% rebate.
 - c. Above 100 calls per year to get 30% rebate.

Security Charges as per the Scale of Rates of Cochin Port Authority will continue to be levied on Cruise Ships.


24/08/2022
TRAFFIC MANAGER

To

1. The Cochin Steamer Agents Association, Cochin
2. The Cochin Customs Brokers Association, Cochin
3. The Cochin Chamber of Commerce & Industries, Cochin-3

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