

No.A1/376/Cruise/2026/T

Dated 11.05.2026

Trade Notice No. 08/2026

Sub: Rationalisation of Tariff for Cruise Vessels - Extension

Ref: (1) Trade Notice No.08/2025 dated 04.12.2025.

(2) IPA's letter No.F.No.CBM/Cruise/044/Cruise Tariff/2025 dated 30.04.2026

(3) MoPSW letter SW-15011/2/2020-MG (E-338503) dated 06.10.2025

The Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways (MoPSW) vide their letter under Ref. (3) has extended the rationalised tariff for Cruise vessels from 01.10.2025 to 31.03.2026 and the same was informed to the trade vide Trade Notice under ref (1).

IPA vide letter under reference (2) has informed that the present concessional cruise tariff structure has been extended from 01.04.2026 to 31.03.2027.

i. The Port charges for a Cruise Ship for the first 12 hrs of stay

- a) to be charged at \$0.085 per GRT (Fixed Rate).
- b) Head tax per passenger will be @\$6

ii Fixed charge of \$ 0.0175 per GRT per hour on Cruise Ships for the period beyond 12 hours of stay of cruise ship at berth shall be levied.

iii. Volume Discounts to Cruise Ships shall be given as under .

- Upto 10 calls per year - No rebate
- From 11 calls to 35 calls per year - 10% rebate.
- From 36 calls to 70 calls per year - 15% rebate
- Above 70 calls per year - 20% rebate.

The above tariff will be effective from 01.04.2026 to 31.03.2027.

The discount for the maiden voyage call and tariff for home porting cruise vessels and other necessary incentives shall be decided by the Board of Cochin Port Authority, on case to case basis. Security Charges, as per the Scale of Rates of Cochin Port Authority, will continue to be levied on Cruise Ships.

Please share the information with all the members of trade fraternity, cruise lines, tour operators and your business associates.


(Capt. Himanshu Shekhar)
TRAFFIC MANAGER

To

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

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