

VISAKHAPATNAM PORT TRUST
TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

No: ITRA/SHP/FCIR
Dt: 27-08-2021

TRADE CIRCULAR- 1396

Sub: India East Coast approaches to Visakhapatnam- Designation of additional anchorage areas within Visakhapatnam Port Limits - Reg.
Ref: Report of the Committee constituted by Govt. of India, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and waterways for improving Safety Performance of Major Ports.

Attention of all concerned is invited to the subject matter, wherein, as per the report cited under reference on Navigational Safety(E), Visakhapatnam Port Trust has identified anchorage areas "in addition to the existing" to provide specific anchorage for vessels. In this regard particulars of such specific anchorage points for vessels may be obtained from Marine Department/VPT. Moreover, it has been requested by VPT to The Chief Hydrographer to the Govt. of India, Dehradun, to arrange to promulgate and update in the charts 3002, 3012 and BA Chart No.239.

Further, the Nomenclature of "existing lighthouse operation" is to be modified as "Lighthouse / Bunkering operation".

A copy of the chart 3002 plotted with new anchorage areas may also be obtained from Marine Department/VPT if required.

(Authority: Dy Conservator Lr No: IMAR/MSS/F-02/2021/2294, Dt: 20-08-2021).


TRAFFIC MANAGER
27/08/2021

- C/- P.S to Chairman for favor of kind information of Chairman.
- C/- P.A to Dy Chairman for favor of information of Dy Chairman.
- C/- P.A to TM for information of Traffic Manager.
- C/- Dy Conservator for information w.r.t the letter dated 20-08-2021 with a request to provide aforesaid charts to Trade as and when requested by them.
- C/- CME/ CE for information.
- C/- President, Visakhapatnam Steamship Agents Association for wide publicity among Trade.
- C/- President, Visakhapatnam Stevedores Association with a request for wide publicity among Stevedores.
- C/- President, C&F agents Association for information.
- C/- Jt. Director (R&P) for information and with a request to place in Port Website.
- C/- AQF (Shp), TMO for information and to e-mail to All Trade.