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No. ITRA/SHP/FCIR

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परिपत्र / CIRCULAR No .503

Sub:- Improper securing of Save all nets to Bulk cargo vessels-Spillages-Reg.

It has been time and again informed to all concerned, during various forums regarding providing proper Save all nets in respect of vessels discharging/loading bulk cargoes. But, it is observed that some of the vessels are not providing them, which is resulting in spillage of cargo in to Port waters and Consequent pollution.

In addition to the above, it is also to mention that the Save all nets when fixed on to the vessels are not being properly secured and often these nets are found floating in Port waters or hanging close to the jetties, posing hazard to tugs as well as Ships propulsion systems.

In view of the above, it is hereby instructed to all concerned to ensure mandatary provision of Save all nets for all bulk handling vessels and also to ensure that they are properly secured on to the vessels. Any deviation in the above instructions will be viewed seriously and action deemed fit will be initiated against the concerned.

TRAFFIC MANAGER

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Copy to: Visakhapatnam Steamship Agents Association.

Copy to: Visakhapatnam Charter ship Agents Association.

Copy to: Visakhapatnam Chamber of Commerce & Industries.

Copy to: All Trade - for information.

Copy to: All Shipping Officers – for information.

Copy to: Dy. CONSERVATOR/COT w.r.to the letter

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