## VISAKHAPATNAM PORT TRUST TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

ALL TRADE

CIRCULAR No.797

NO.ITRA/STEV/FPOLICY DT1007 - 07-2017

Sub: Stevedoring and Shore Handling Policy for Major Ports 2016 - Fixing of Royalty

Ref: 1 TAMP's letter No.TAMP/84/2016-VPT, dt.07-03-2017.

2. This Office Circular No.759, dt.3-5-2017

Tariff Authority for Major Ports had vide reference 1st cited informed regarding passing of order on 8-2-2017 granting adhoc approval of the Fixation of Normative tariff for Stevedoring & Shore Handling operations at VPT, which was notified in the Gazette of India Extraordinary (part III Section 4) on 1 March 2017 vide Gazette No.83, which was circulated to the trade vide reference 2nd cited, so as to enable the users, stevedores and C&F agents the upper limit of Normative tariff for the same.

In this connection, The Visakhapatnam Port Trust Board in the Meeting No.1 of 2017-18 held on 05-06-2017 vide Agenda item No.S-17 and Resolution No.28/2017-18 resolved to approve to collect a flat rate of Rs.5.00 per tonne as Royalty on "Stevedoring and Shore-Handling" on every tonne of cargo Stevedored and Shore Handled as per clause 3(v) of Stevedoring and Shore Handling Policy and will be collected on the Import Application or Export Application for the Stevedoring and C&F components. As far as cargo Ammonium Nitrate is concerned royalty is fixed at Rs.20/per mt. in view of the nature of the cargo.

Hence in view of the above, it is to inform that the said rates will be implemented for all Import Applications and Export Applications passed w.e.f. 01-08-2017.

Authority:- Chairman's approval in file No.ITRA/STEV/FPOLICY dt. 06.07.2017

C/- PS to Chairman for favour of information of Chairman

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C/-PA to TM for information of TM

C/-FA&CAO for information and necessary action

C/-The Chairman, Visakhapatnam Steamship Agents Association, Vsp

C/-The President, Visakhapatnam Stevedores Association, Vsp

C/-The President, Visakhapatnam Clearing & Forwarding Agents Association

C/-All Trade- for information

/-Joint Director (R&P)- for information and necessary action to place in the website.

C/-All Officers of Traffic Department

C/-DI(G)/DI(C)/HA(R)/SS(R)/SA(Shp)/AQF(Shp)

C/-Sr.ATM(C)/HA(C):- for necessary action for collection of the Royalty Charges accordingly while processing the Export Application/ Import Application, and also to collect the charges for the documents processed from 01.08.2017 on priority.