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Sub: Rationalization of Tariff for Cruise Vessels arriving in India

In pursuance to our earlier Trade Notices TM/64/2017/1715 TRADE NOTICE NO 30/2017 dated 17^{th} 2017, TM/64/2017/1807 TRADE NOTICE NO. 31/2017 dated 27.11.2017, TM/64/2018/555 TRADE NOTICE NO. 06/2018 dated 21.06.2018 , TM/04/12/2019/20 TRADE NOTICE NO. 05/2019 dated 01.04.2019 , Ministry of Shipping , Govt. of India has further rationalized the tariff structure for Cruise Vessels as communicated to all Major Ports vide SW-15011/2/2020-MG(Cno338503) dated 14^{th} August 2020 .The following charges proposed by INCLA have been approved by the Hon'ble MOC(I/C).

- (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 rate 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 SOR (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
- 2. The above rationalized tariff shall be immediately effective for a period of one year with a view to provide support to the cruise shipping business, which has been adversely affected due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This would also help to ensure that cruise calls at Indian Ports do not dry up completely.
- 3. Thereafter, for the next two years, depending upon the rate at which the cruise industry revives itself, the tariff may be rationalized by splitting it into two components viz. Fixed rate on ship's GRT and charges per passenger basis (Head Tax), in a ratio to be decided later. The volume discounts during this period would be as follows:
 - (a) 50-74 calls per year to get 10% rebate
 - (b) 75-100 calls per year to get 15% rebate
 - (c) Above 100 calls per year to get 20 % rebate

The circular is issued for the information of all the members of the Trade fraternity, their Business Associates and Stake holders concerned.

TRAFFIC MANAGER

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To,

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