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TARIFF AUTHORITY FOR MAJOR PORTS

G.No. 538

New Delhi,

01 November 2021

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 48 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963 (38 of 1963), the Tariff Authority for Major Ports hereby disposes of the proposal received from the Visakhapatnam Port Trust (VPT) for rationalization of storage charge approved by the Authority vide Order No.TAMP/58/2008-VPT dated 11 January 2013 notifying the Scale of Rates in the name of the Vizag General Cargo Berth Pvt. Ltd. (VGCBPL) for mechanized handling of coking coal and steam coal at General Cargo Berth of VPT on DBFOT basis in pursuance of the then Ministry of Shipping (MOS) letter No.PD-13/1/2018-PPP Cell dated 11 July 2018 and notify revised storage charge for the third consecutive year w.e.f. 21 January 2021 till 20 January 2022 as in the Order appended hereto.

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Member (Finance)

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| 2. | Storage Charges (11-15 days) | 2.06 | 2.11 | 2.13 | No Charges | No Charges | No Charges | No Charges |
| 3. | Storage Charges (16-20 days) | 4.11 | 4.21 | 4.26 | No Charges | No Charges | No Charges | No Charges |
| 4. | Storage Charges 21 st Day onwards | 8.22 | 8.43 | 8.53 | 8.43 | 8.53 | 8.53 | 8.56 |

Notes:

- (i). 20 free days shall be allowed. Free period shall commence from the day following the day of complete discharge of vessel cargo. For the purpose of calculation of free period, Custom notified holidays and Terminal's non-working days shall be excluded.
- (ii). Storage charges shall be payable for all days including Terminal's non-working days and Customs notified holidays for stay of cargo beyond the prescribed free days.
- (iii). Storage charges on cargo shall not accrue for the period when the terminal operator is not in a position to deliver/ ship the cargo when requested by the user due to reasons attributable to the Terminal operator.
- (iv). The above storage schedule shall be valid from 21 January 2021 till 20 January 2022.

4.2. The VGCBPL is also directed to furnish the quarterly physical performance including the cargo-wise volume handled through VPT within 15 days on the end of each quarter and annual performance both physical and financial within 2 months at the end of the financial year to this Authority.

5. The Speaking Order passed by this Authority will be intimated separately and communicated to the VPT, VGCBPL and the relevant users/ user organisations in due course of time.

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