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TARIFF AUTHORITY FOR MAJOR PORTS

G.No.143

New Delhi

13th July 2007

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 48 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963 (38 of 1963), the Tariff Authority for Major Ports hereby extends the validity of the levy for Stevedoring activity at the Chennai Port Trust upto 30 September 2007 as in the Order appended hereto.

(A.L. Bongirwar)
Chairman

Tariff Authority for Major Ports
No. TAMP/8/2003 – CHPT

ORDER

(Passed on this 28 day of June 2007)

This Authority had passed an Order on 25 January 2007 extending the validity of the levy for stevedoring activity at Chennai Port Trust (CHPT) till 30 June 2007 or till effective date of implementation of the revised rates, whichever is earlier. The Order was notified in the Gazette of India on 7 February 2007. In the said Order, the CHPT was also directed to file its proposal for review of the stevedoring levy within 15 days from the date of Notification of the Order.

2.1. The CHPT vide its letter dated 5 June 2007 has filed the proposal for review of the stevedoring levy.

2.2. The validity of the existing stevedoring levy expires on 30 June 2007. The proposal filed by CHPT is under consideration and is in the process of being circulated to the relevant users/ user organizations. It will take time for the case to mature for final consideration by this Authority. It is, therefore, necessary to extend the validity of the existing stevedoring levy beyond 30 June 2007.

3. In the result and based on a collective application of mind, this Authority extends the validity of the existing stevedoring levy at CHPT till 30 September 2007 or till the effective date of implementation of the Order to be passed on the proposal of CHPT for review of the stevedoring levy whichever is earlier subject to the condition that the position clarified in the case of levy of C & F levy for hook point dispatch in the Order no. TAMP/63/2004-CHPT dated 25 January 2007 would also be followed during the extended validity period.

(A.L. Bongirwar)
Chairman