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**Tariff Authority for Major Ports**

G No. 162

New Delhi,

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**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 extends the validity of the existing Scale of Rates of the Visakha Container Terminal Private Limited for its operation of Visakha Container Terminal at the Visakhapatnam Port Trust as in the Order appended hereto.

**(Brahm Dutt)**  
Chairman

**Tariff Authority for Major Ports**  
**Case No. TAMP/12/2007 - VCTPL**

Visakha Container Terminal Private Limited

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Applicant

**ORDER**

(Passed on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 2008)

This case relates to the extension of the validity of the existing Scale of Rates (SOR) of the Visakha Container Terminal Private Limited (VCTPL) for its operation of Visakha Container Terminal at the Visakhapatnam Port Trust (VPT).

2. The existing Scale of Rates (SOR) of the VCTPL was published in the Gazette of India on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2007 vide Gazette No. 152. The validity of the SOR was prescribed till 31 March 2008.

3. The VCTPL has filed its proposal for revision of its Scale of Rates (SOR) in February 2008. Since the proposal was in the consultative stage, this Authority had passed Order No.TAMP/12/2007- VCTPL on 22 April 2008 extending the validity of the existing SOR of the VCTPL till 31 July 2008 or till effective date of implementation of the revised Scale of Rates whichever is earlier.

4. Since the validity of the existing SOR has expired, the VCTPL has requested to extend the validity of the existing SOR till implementation of the revised rates.

5. The tariff revision proposal filed by the VCTPL will be decided after the joint hearing. Considering the fact that the validity of the existing Scale of Rates has expired on 31 July 2008, this Authority extends the validity of the existing Scale of Rates from the date of expiry till 31 December 2008 or till effective date of implementation of the revised Scale of Rates (to be approved, whichever is earlier).

**(Brahm Dutt)**  
Chairman