

## **MUMBAI PORT TRUST – TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT**

No.TM/A/15.34/(W/Bridge)/9696

of 95-96

Date : 12<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2012

President,

M/s. Indian Barge Owner's Association

M/s. All India Liquid Bulk Importers & Exporters Association

The Bombay Custom House Agent's Associations

Mumbai Nhava-Sheva Agent's Association

M/s. Maharashtra Tank Lorry Owners' Association.

M/s. U. M. Khera & Co.

M/s. Kainaaz Associates.

M/s. All India Clearing & Forwarding Pvt. Ltd.

M/s. Motumal & Co.

Sirs,

**Sub.: Installation and Commissioning  
of 60 Tons capacity electronic  
weighbridge at 1/2 Ferry Wharf  
– Recovery of Port Trust charges  
for use of weighbridge.**

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Vide trade circular dated 23.02.2012, all Port Users were informed that electronic weighbridge with 60 tonne capacity at 1/2 Ferry Wharf has been installed and Barge operation has been commenced at 1 and 2 Ferry Wharf and they were requested to avail the facility for weighment of cargo discharged from 1/2 Ferry Wharf on payment of Port Trust charges of Rs.60/- per vehicle for the same. Earlier the members of the trade were informed vide circular dated 15.12.2011 that charges for use of weighbridges installed by the Port at 13B ID, MGPD and Ferry Wharf will be levied @ Rs.60/- per vehicle as provided under Section 9.1 F Chapter IX of the Revised Scale of Rates.

2. However, it is observed that the Port Users are not carrying out/availing weighment facility at 1/2 Ferry Wharf weighbridge citing the reason of variation in weighment. In this regard, this is to inform that the said weighbridge at 1/2 Ferry Wharf has been checked and certified by the Inspector Weight and Measures for correctness of weighment vide Certificate No. 178441 dated 10.4.2012 valid till 10.12.2013 and it has been also re-stamped by the Inspector of Legal Metrology, Govt. of

Maharashtra on 02.04.2012. Further, it is informed that the said weighbridge at 1/2 Ferry Wharf is being serviced, checked and tested with standard test weights on regular basis by the Competent Technical Authority and the Manufacturer of the Weighbridge. It is confirmed by Chief Mechanical Engineer, MbPT, that the said weighbridge is found to be in a satisfactory working condition and they have released the weighbridge for weighment of cargo from 23.11.2012 for continuous operational use.

3. In view of the above, all Port Users are hereby informed to use berthing as well as weighbridge facilities at 1/2 Ferry Wharf on payment of Port Trust charges for weighment of their empty/loaded tanker lorries on payment of Rs.60/- per vehicle plus ServiceTax as provided under Section 9.1 F of Chapter IV of Revised Scale of Rates.

4. It may please be noted that unless weighment charges due are paid in advance, weighment of vehicle will not be allowed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-  
(V.S. KULKARNI)  
SR.DY.TRAFFIC MANAGER-I.

