

MUMBAI PORT TRUST

DOCKS DEPARTMENT

No. TM/B/10(G)-2/17 of 00-01

27th August, 2010

C I R C U L A R

M/s. Indian Barge Owner's Association
Owners/Agents of Crafts/barges/tugs.

Sirs,

Sub : Berthing of crafts/barges/tugs,etc. in Bunders.

Of late, it has been observed that crafts/barges/tugs, etc. are berthed in various basins at Bunder area without prior permission from the office of the Asstt.Manager, Bunders. This unauthorized and illegal berthing causes inconvenience to the other vessels and also leads to delay in recovery of port dues.

2. In order to ensure that the basins in the bunders are gainfully utilized by the vessels/barges for berthing, all concerned are requested to note that the following system should be followed with immediate effect:

- (i) The owners/agents of the crafts/barges/tugs/etc. shall submit an application to the Asstt.Manager, Bunder requesting permission for berthing of their crafts/barges/tugs and the crafts/barges/tugs,etc. shall be brought to the basin only after the permission is granted and on payment of water conveyance and port dues.
- (ii) The permission for repairs at coal bunder hard shall be granted only after payment of deposit equivalent to three months charges calculated on the contractual DWT of the vessel, in terms of section 7.2(6) of the Scale of Rate.
- (iii) The vessels permitted to occupy the basin for survey/repairs, etc. shall not overstay beyond the regulated period.

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3. All concerned are requested to note the above instructions and to comply with the same, failing which action will be initiated including blacklisting of the owner/agent and arrest of the vessel.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
(R.B. DAWRE)
ADDL.DOCKS MANAGER