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मुंबई पोर्ट ट्रस्ट  
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यातायात प्रबंधक का कार्यालय,  
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The President,  
Maritime Association of Nationwide Shipping Agencies - India (MANSA)

The President,  
Brihanmumbai Custom House Brokers Association

The President,  
Indian Merchants' Chambers

The Secretary,  
Bombay Chamber of Commerce & Industry

The President,  
Importers / Exporters Association

Dear Sirs,

**Sub. : Handling of Jumbo Bags with Dry bulk  
cargo viz. Sulphur/MAP/MOP,etc.**

In the recent past, few Vessels had called Mumbai Port with Import cargo including Jumbo bags carrying Calcium Nitrate, Ammonium Sulphate in bulk. The Jumbo bags were discharged in loose, damaged and mixed condition causing spillage in large quantity on the wharf and the covered/open storage areas. The spillage of the cargo in large quantity made the covered/open area sticky and not suitable for storage of clean cargo.

2. Due to heavy leakage of such cargo, Port administration had received complaints from some of the Port Users and Port Employees regarding skin irritation and irritation in eyes.

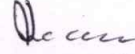
3. In view of the above, all Vessel Agents are requested to ensure that Jumbo bags containing cargo like Calcium Nitrate, Ammonium Sulphate, etc. brought by their Vessel should be in sound condition and there should not be any spillage on wharf and storage area. It shall be the responsibility of the agents to ensure that the bags are repaired before discharging.

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4. Vessel Agents are also requested to note that cargoes though not classified under IMDG Code but posing risk to health of employees or damage to environment during handling should be declared to the Port at the time of submitting berthing application.

5. All vessel agents are requested to note that non-compliance of the above instructions will lead to stoppage of discharging operations.

Yours faithfully,



(R.N.SHAIKH)

SR. DY. TRAFFIC MANAGER(HO)