

No : TO(Sh&CH)/10/603

Date: 22.04.2022

**TRADE CIRCULAR**

**Sub : To increase the license period for allotment of common plot for storage of Manganese Ore by 60 days each across all the cargo quantum categories.**

**Ref. : This office earlier Trade Circular No: T.O. (Sh&CH)/10/121 dated 27.01.2022.**

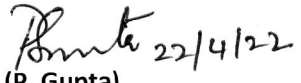
In response to the request of the Stakeholders of Manganese Ore for extension of period of license for allotment of common plots for storage of Manganese Ore, the following modifications in the license period of such common plots, has been approved by the Appropriate Authority of SMP, Kolkata, which is mentioned below:-

For quantum of Manganese Ore per vessel stored in common plot	Normal License Period
Up to 50,000 MT	120 days
Over 50,000 MT up to 80,000 MT	150 Days
Over 80,000 MT	180 Days

However, after expiry of the normal License Period, there will be no scope for further extension of License and the cargo lying therein would attract demurrage as per SOR of SMP, Kolkata. The other Terms & Conditions as laid out in the Trade Circular issued vide no. GMT/45/1057 dated 17.08.2021 will remain unchanged.

The validity of this Trade Circular shall remain effective **from 07.04.2022 to 31.10.2022** and thereafter it would be reviewed.

All concerned are requested to be guided accordingly.

  
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- Cc : The President, The Association of Shipping Interest in Calcutta (ASIC), 6, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata-700 001: For information please.
- Cc : The President, Calcutta Customs House Agents' Association (CCHAA), 23 R.N. Mukherjee Road, Kol-700 001: For information please.
- Cc : All Importers of Manganese Ore : For information please.
- Cc : Handling Agents/C&F Agents Steamer Agents/Surveyors of Manganese Ore : For information please.
- Cc : General Manager (Traffic), HDC: For your kind information please.
- Cc : General Manager (Finance), HDC: For your kind information please.
- Cc : Deputy Manager (Sh&CH), GC. Berth, HDC: For your kind information please.