





HIGHLIGHTS OF PERFORMANCE OF KOLKATA PORT TRUST

Period : April-November 2018 vis-à-vis April-November 2017				
	[In '000 tonnes]			
	April-November	April-November	Absolute	% Rise/ Fall
	2018*	2017	Rise/Fall	
1. <u>CARGO TRAFFIC</u> :				
KDS	11603	11459	144	1.26
HDC	28629	25616	3013	11.76
KoPT	40232	37075	3157	8.52
2. <u>CONTAINER TRAFFIC</u> :				
KDS (I) (in TEUs)	442214	424678	17536	4.13
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	6659	6521	138	2.12
HDC (I) (in TEUs)	118981	101750	17231	16.93
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	2032	1748	284	16.25
KoPT(I) (in TEUs)	561195	526428	34767	6.60
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	8691	8269	422	5.10
3. <u>COMMODITYWISE GROWTH:</u>				
3.1 KDS:				
(a) POL (Product)	529	537	-8	-1.49
(b) Vegetable Oil	296	458	-162	-35.37
(c) Timber	119	113	6	5.31
(d) Pulses	327	1502	-1175	-78.23
(e) Iron & Steel	40	29	11	37.93
(f) Other Cargo	10292	8820	1472	16.69
KDS (Total)	11603	11459	<u>144</u>	1.26
3.2 HDC:				
(a) POL (Crude)	0	285	-285	-100.00
	3281	3585	-285 -304	-8.48
(b) POL (Product) (c) LPG	2202	1470	-304 732	-8.48 49.80
(d) Thermal Coal	1532	1268	264	20.82
(e) Iron Ore	277	1185	-908 1200	-76.62
(f) Coking Coal	5714	4424	1290	29.16
(g) Iron & Steel	535	483	52	10.77
(h) Other Liq. Cargo (incl.V.oil)	3304	3351	-47	-1.40
(i) <u>Other Cargo</u>	<u>11784</u>	<u>9565</u>	<u>2219</u>	<u>23.20</u>
HDC (Total)	<u>28629</u>	<u>25616</u>	<u>3013</u>	<u>11.76</u>
4. NUMBER OF SHIP CALLS:	April-November	· April-November Rise/Fall		e/Fall
	2018*	2017	Absolute	%
A. KDS	925	868	57	6.57
B. HDC	1488	1528	-40	-2.62
C. KoPT *Provisional	2413	2396	17	0.71

*Provisional

5. <u>PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS</u>

A. Cargo Traffic:

- Kolkata Port handled 40.232 million tonnes (mt) of traffic in April-November, 2018 vis-à-vis 37.075 mt in Apr-Nov'17 registering a growth of 8.52%, higher than the growth of 4.83% achieved by the Major Ports. HDC handled 28.629 mt in Apr-Nov'18 vis-à-vis 25.616 mt handled in Apr-Nov'17 recording a high growth of 11.76% (2nd highest among Major Ports) while KDS handled 11.603 mt in Apr-Nov'18 vis-à-vis 11.459 mt in Apr-Nov'17, clocking a growth of 1.26%.
- KoPT recorded growth in Apr-Nov'18 in respect of LPG, Other Liquid, Rock Phosphate, Limestone, Thermal Coal, Coking Coal, Other Coal/Coke, Iron & Steel, Fly Ash, Salt, Cement Clinker, Coal Tar Pitch, Dolomite, Gypsum, Container, etc.

B. <u>Container Traffic</u>:

- KoPT handled 5,61,195 TEUs in Apr-Nov'18 vis-à-vis 5,26,428 TEUs in Apr-Nov'17 registering 6.6% growth, the highest among major container handling ports and ranked 3rd amongst Major Ports in terms of Container traffic.
- KDS handled 4,42,214 TEUs in Apr-Nov'18 vis-à-vis 4,24,678 TEUs in Apr-Nov'17 reflecting a growth of 4.13%. HDC handled 1,18,981 TEUs in Apr-Nov'18 vis-à-vis 1,01,750 TEUs in Apr-Nov'17 recording a very high growth of 16.93%.

C. <u>Comparative Performance</u>:

- **>** KoPT ranked 1st in Coking/Other Coal, 2nd in Other Liquids and 3rd in Container handling among Major Ports.
- **>** KoPT ranked 6th in cargo handling among Indian Major Ports.

D. <u>Ship Traffic</u>:

In Apr-Nov'18, KoPT handled 2413 ships - the highest among Indian Major Ports. 2978 vessels (1488 inward; 1490 outward) passed through Eden channel in April-Nov, 2018 to / from Haldia.

E. <u>Railway Traffic</u>:

In Apr-Nov'18, 2018, KoPT handled rail-borne traffic of 19.14 mt. (KDS-4.02 mt & HDC-15.12 mt) against 17.62 mt. (KDS-3.77 mt & HDC-13.85 mt) in Apr-Nov'17 recording a growth of 8.63%. In Apr-Nov'18, 951 trains were received and 963 despatched at KDS; at HDC, 3182 trains were received and 3174 were despatched.

F. Major Achievements:

- As suggested by World Bank, Balagarh (85 km north) on NW-1, identified for creation of extended port gate facility away from the city limits (on 300 acres land owned by KoPT), to meet the growing traffic need and ease road congestion. Two barge jetties with necessary infrastructure to be created at Balagarh. Consultant appointed for the project.
- In the 148-year-old history of KoPT, maiden call by a Cape Size vessel M.V. Samjohn Solidarity, carrying 1,64,928 MT of Coal was made on 17.10.18 at Sandheads. The vessel (LOA : 292 mtrs, Beam : 45 mtrs, Draft : 17.21 mtrs) discharged around 1 lakh MT of Coal on barges by two Floating Cranes. The entire quantity of discharge cargo was brought to Floating Jetty at Haldia. The vessel was slated to proceed to Paradip to offload rest of her cargo.
- On 20.06.2018, the 1st Mini Cape vessel, M.V. Kishore with 54,000 tonnes of cargo arrived at KoPT's Sagar Anchorage for the first time and unloading commenced with two recently installed Floating Cranes. Cargo operation at Floating Barge Jetty outside HDC lock gate commenced on 16.6.18 by discharging Limestone.
- A new anchorage point has become functional at Eastern Channel, approximately 7 nautical miles below Sagar lighthouse where Cape Size Vessels requiring draft of 9.5 mtrs can be handled without use of Tugs.
- On 19.11.18, 24 Reefer points were commissioned and declared ready for operations at the Container Terminal of HDC achieving higher operational efficiency and fulfilling long pending demand of the Trade.
- On 01.12.2018, KoPT introduced a Logistic Data Bank which aims to track container cargo almost on real time basis, using RFID services. The service allows different stakeholders / Shipping Lines etc. to check the movement of containers / identify bottlenecks / facilitate smooth flow of containers / reduction of dwell time etc.
- On the occasion of observance of the Birth Anniversary of Sardar Ballabhbhai Patel as "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas", KoPT officials took Unity Pledge on 31.10.18. Unity Run/Walks were organised and attended by senior officers of KoPT, CISF jawans etc. Integrity Pledge was taken by employees of KoPT on the eve of 'Vigilance Awareness Week'. The second edition of the Vigilance booklet- 'ALOKE' was released.
- KoPT commemorated 148 years of its service to the nation at a momentous function held on 26.10.2018 with felicitation of trade/users/Port veterans, followed by cultural programmes. On 13.8.18 HDC commemorated 50 years of cargo handling operation there which commenced on 13.8.1968.
- Swacchata Pakhwada was observed from 16th to 30th Sept'18 at KoPT through various initiatives.
- On 17.9.18, Chairman, KoPT, received National Safety Runners Up Award for 2016 for 'On shore' & 'On board' categories from Hon'ble Minister of State for Labour & Employment at Dr Ambedkar International Centre, New Delhi. HDC received National Safety Award on 11 occasions earlier.
- The first ever midnight city tour was conducted on 16.06.18 and later on 01.10.2018. KoPT has been conducting heritage cruises touching the historic land and water marks of this port-city, viz. the bridges, turrets, ghats, indenture memorials, museums etc. generating considerable public enthusiasm.