



HIGHLIGHTS OF PERFORMANCE OF KOLKATA PORT TRUST

Period : April-July 2018 vis-à-vis April-July 2017

[In '000 tonnes]

	April-July 2018*	April-July 2017	Absolute Rise/Fall	% Rise/ Fall
1. <u>CARGO TRAFFIC:</u>				
KDS	6009	5716	293	5.13
HDC	14176	13019	1157	8.89
KoPT	20185	18735	1450	7.74
2. <u>CONTAINER TRAFFIC:</u>				
KDS (I) (in TEUs)	227034	209110	17924	8.57
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	3472	3191	281	8.81
HDC (I) (in TEUs)	58810	44752	14058	31.41
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	997	824	173	21.00
KoPT(I) (in TEUs)	285844	253862	31982	12.60
(II) (In '000 tonnes)	4469	4015	454	11.31
3. <u>COMMODITYWISE GROWTH:</u>				
3.1 <u>KDS:</u>				
(a) POL (Product)	268	259	9	3.47
(b) Vegetable Oil	142	227	-85	-37.44
(c) Timber	95	65	30	46.15
(d) Pulses	181	536	-355	-66.23
(e) Iron & Steel	29	17	12	70.59
(f) <u>Other Cargo</u>	<u>5294</u>	<u>4612</u>	<u>682</u>	<u>14.79</u>
<u>KDS (Total)</u>	<u>6009</u>	<u>5716</u>	<u>293</u>	<u>5.13</u>
3.2 <u>HDC:</u>				
(a) POL (Crude)	0	244	-244	-100.00
(b) POL (Product)	1710	1856	-146	-7.87
(c) LPG	1119	664	455	68.52
(d) Thermal Coal	913	663	250	37.71
(e) Iron Ore	209	536	-327	-61.01
(f) Coking Coal	2907	2055	852	41.46
(g) Iron & Steel	250	159	91	57.23
(h) Other Liq. Cargo (incl.V.oil)	1633	1672	-39	-2.33
(i) <u>Other Cargo</u>	<u>5435</u>	<u>5170</u>	<u>265</u>	<u>5.13</u>
<u>HDC (Total)</u>	<u>14176</u>	<u>13019</u>	<u>1157</u>	<u>8.89</u>
4. NUMBER OF SHIP CALLS:			Rise/Fall	
	April-July 2018	April-July 2017	Absolute	%
A. KDS	472	445	27	6.07
B. HDC	747	768	-21	-2.73
C. KoPT	1219	1213	6	0.49

*Provisional

5. PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

A. Cargo Traffic:

- In April-July 2018, KoPT handled 20.185 million tonnes (mt) of cargo vis-a-vis 18.735 mt in Apr-July'17 registering 7.74% growth, much in excess of the average growth rate of 4.13% clocked by Major Ports. HDC handled 14.176 mt in Apr-Jul'18 vis-à-vis 13.019 mt in Apr-Jul'17 recording a high growth of 8.89% (3rd highest among Major Ports). KDS handled 6.009 mt of traffic in April-July, 2018 vis-à-vis 5.716 mt handled in April-July, 2017 registering a growth of 5.13%.
- KoPT registered growth in April-July'18 in respect of LPG, Other Liquid, Rock Phosphate, Limestone, Thermal Coal, Coking Coal, Other Coal/Coke, Iron & Steel, Timber, Salt, Cement Clinker, Gypsum, Container, IVW etc.

B. Container Traffic:

- KoPT handled 2,85,844 TEUs in April-July, 2018 vis-à-vis 2,53,862 TEUs in April-July'17 registering 11.31% growth. KoPT ranked 3rd amongst Major Ports in terms of Container traffic in Apr-July'18. KDS surpassed 60,000 mark for the first time handling 60,352 TEUs in July'18.
- KDS handled 2,27,034 TEUs in Apr-Jul'18 vis-à-vis 2,09,110 TEUs in Apr-Jul'17 – registering 8.57% growth. HDC handled 58,810 TEUs in Apr-Jul'18 vis-à-vis 44,752 TEUs in April-July, 2017 clocking a 31.41% growth.

C. Comparative Performance:

- KoPT ranked 1st in Coking/Other Coal, 2nd in Other Liquids and 3rd in Container among Major Ports.
- KoPT ranked 5th in cargo handling among Indian Major Ports.

D. Ship Traffic:

- In Apr-July'18, KoPT handled 1219 ships - the highest among Indian Major Ports.

E. Railway Traffic:

- In Apr-July'18, KoPT handled rail-borne traffic of 9.30 mt. (KDS-1.90 mt., HDC-7.40 mt.) against 8.26 mt. (KDS-1.88 mt., HDC-6.38 mt.) in Apr-July'17 i.e. a growth of 12.59%. In Apr-July'18, 459 trains were received and 467 despatched at KDS; at HDC, 1514 trains received and 1511 were despatched.

F. Major Achievements:

- On 14th July, 2018, as a part of India-ASEAN Media Exchange Programme, 21 Journalists from different ASEAN countries visited Kolkata Port. They were warmly greeted and briefed by Heads of the Departments of KoPT. They visited Container Terminal, NS lock gate and Dry Dock of KoPT. Traffic Manager duly emphasized on trade with ASEAN countries through Kolkata Port in his presentation on KoPT. The media persons and KoPT officers unanimously agreed to facilitate bilateral trade in all possible manner.
- Chairman, KoPT during a recent press meet assured various trade and shipping interests that ship repairing activities will resume in earnest at the Dry Docks from Aug-Sept'18. KoPT and Cochin Shipyard Ltd. signed an agreement on 17.3.18 for **Operations & Maintenance of Ship Repair Facility at NSD.**
- Introduction of Truck Chit System at KDS under Ease of Doing Business will enable easy loading of containers facilitating restacking operation, thereby saving time.
- On 20.06.2018, the 1st Mini Cape vessel, M.V. Kishore with 54,000 tonnes of cargo arrived at KoPT Sagar Anchorage for the first time and unloading commenced started with two recently installed Floating Cranes.
- Cargo operation at Floating Barge Jetty outside HDC lock gate commenced on 16.6.18 by discharging limestone.
- On 21.06.18, KoPT floated tenders for O&M of three parking lots under 'Ease of doing Business' for container trade.
- The first ever midnight city tour touching the important land and watermarks of the historic port-city of Kolkata, generating huge enthusiasm, was conducted on 16.06.18.
- World Environment Day was observed on 5.6.18 at KDS & HDC through tree plantation. On the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution", plastic removal drive was taken at Man-of-War jetty by CISF to graduate towards a plastic free environment.
- As part of the joint initiative with CONCOR to start a new route to Nepal for transit cargo through India's gateway ports, the first container train from NSD of KDS, KoPT to Jogbani, Nepal, was flagged off in April'18.
- On 4.7.2018 the 2nd Pension Adalat was inaugurated by Chairman, KoPT. All the grievances placed by the pensioners were heard and many of the pending issues in individual cases were resolved. An open house was also held to hear the feedback/suggestions of pensioners.
- 1497 vessels (747 inward; 750 outward) passed through Eden channel in April-July, 2018 to/from Haldia.