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Notification

To

All Barge Owners / Barge Operators / Vessel Agents

Sub : **Enlistment of barges working under the jurisdiction of KoPT.**

Dear Sir,

In order to streamline the lighterage operations at different anchorages, it has been decided to enlist all the barges plying within the port limits of Kolkata. Accordingly, all barges are required to be enlisted with the port authority latest by 1.10.2010.

You are, therefore, advised to apply to the Director, Marine Department, Kolkata Port Trust, for enlistment of the barges under your control along with the following information. Relevant documents may also be enclosed with the application.

- 1) Name of the barge;
- 2) Name and address of the owner & operator;
- 3) Length, Breadth and Draft
- 4) DWT & GRT
- 5) Registration and fitness certificates;

All self-propelled barges should be registered and certified by Inland Water Transport, Govt. of W.B. Barges mobilized from other States, should have an endorsement from IWT, Govt. of W.B., in terms of Section 10-A of IV Act. Utilization of dumb barges for lighterage operation would be avoided as far as practicable.

Barges not enlisted with KoPT will not be allowed to undertake lighterage operation. Fees for such enlistment would be intimated to you in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
(Capt. A.K. Bagchi)
Director
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