

**KOLKATA PORT TRUST**  
**HALDIA DOCK COMPLEX**

T.O.(Sh & CH) Division  
Operational Building  
Chiranjibpore

No. MTO/G/115i/Pt.VI/1911

July 20, 2015

**Trade Circular**

Trade has already been notified vide Circular No. MTO/G/115i/Pt.IV/791 dated 31.03.2015 that Haldia Dock Complex, Kolkata Port Trust has granted Handling Agency License to eight firms for rendering shore handling services in respect of Dry Bulk Cargo across all multipurpose berths (except Berth No. 4A & 12). The names & particulars of such Handling Agents along with the scope of their services under the scheme and detailed terms & conditions thereof were also notified.

Now, the Board of Trustees of KoPT in its meeting held on 03.07.2015 has decided that all the Shore Handling Agents who have already been issued Shore Handling License as well as the three writ petitioners who have challenged the above scheme in the Calcutta High Court, are required to undertake shore handling of dry bulk cargo at HDC (KoPT) (except Berth No. 4A & 12) through conventional methods under the terms & condition of the Royalty scheme including the ceiling rates which has already been notified through the above Trade Circular.

All the Shore Handling Agents including the three writ petitioners who will undertake the shore handling of dry bulk cargo at HDC as stated above will be required to pay Royalty to HDC(KoPT) @ Rs. 14.77/- per MT of cargo handled.

The above decision of the Board of Trustees of KoPT will take place in respect of the vessel's declared on and from the date of issuance of this Circular.

  
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