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Tariff Authority for Major Ports

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New Delhi,

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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 48 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963 (38 of 1963), the Tariff Authority for Major Ports hereby disposes of the request of the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) for extension of time limit for filing a proposal for revision of charges for Inter Terminal Rail Handling Operations of ICD Containers at the Container Terminals in JNPT, as in the Order appended hereto.

(Brahm Dutt)
Chairman

Tariff Authority for Major Ports

Case No. TAMP/23 /2007 – JNPT

The Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust

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Applicant

ORDER

(Passed on this 22nd day of April 2008)

This case relates to a proposal from Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) for revision of charges for Inter Terminal Rail Handling Operations (ITRHO) of Inland Clearance Depot (ICD) containers at JNPT.

2. This Authority disposed of the proposal of JNPT for revision of charges for Inter Terminal Rail Handling Operations (ITRHO) of ICD containers at the container terminals in JNPT vide Order dated 28 January 2008. The validity of the rate of Rs.400/- per TEU towards ITRHO was extended for the period from 15 August 2007 to 30 June 2008 and the JNPT was directed to file a well-analyzed proposal with cost details by 31 March 2008 for a tariff arrangement in respect of ICD containers moved by rail.

3. The JNPT vide its letter dated 18 March 2008 has requested this Authority to grant time up to 30 June 2008 for filing its proposal for fixation of charges for ITRHO of ICD containers moved by rail on the ground that it is pre-occupied with framing of its proposal for general revision of the Scale of Rates.

4. This Authority is inclined to accede to the request of the JNPT for extension of time upto 30 June 2008 for filing its proposal for fixation of charges for ITRHO of ICD Containers moved by rail.

5. Considering the time required to process the proposal (to be) filed by JNPT, the validity of the rate of Rs.400 per TEU till 30 June 2008 approved by this Authority vide Order dated 28 January 2008 also requires to be extended. Accordingly, the validity of the rate of Rs.400/- per TEU shall stand extended till 30 September 2008 or till the effective date of implementation of the Order to be passed by this Authority on the proposal (to be) filed by JNPT, whichever is earlier.

6. The JNPT is directed to file its proposal along with requisite cost details by 30 June 2008.

(Brahm Dutt)
Chairman