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F. No. SL-RUL-3(5)/2016

Dated: 13.10.16

MSL Circular No. 01 of 2016

It is brought to the knowledge of all the concerned stakeholders that section 261. clause (y) of section 262 [i.e. legal provisions w.r.t. Passenger Welfare Cess and its connected matters], section 356M, section 356N, and clause (e) of section 356-O [i.e. legal provisions w.r.t. Oil Pollution Cess and its connected matters] of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1958, as amended, have been repealed by the Finance Act, 2016, as indicated in the Fifteenth Schedule of the said Act.

- 2. In view of the above, as mandated by the Ministry of Shipping, Gol's letter No. F-20020/15/2016-MG dated 11.08.16 [Annexure-I], read with Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Gol's Office Memorandum F. No. 15 (106)-B(R)/2016 dated 27.07.16 [Annexure-II], the Passenger Welfare Cess and Oil Pollution Cess is not to be collected w.e.f. 01.04.16.
 - All the concerned agencies/authorities/stakeholders may please note the same.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the Director General of Shipping & Additional Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Yours faithfully

Deputy Director General of Shipping-in-Charge [MSL]

To,

- 1. All concerned stakeholder through DGS official website.
- Indian Port Association, New Delhi
- 3. Indian Private Ports & Terminal Association, Mumbai.
- SCI, INSA, ICCSA, MASSA, IRS, Mumbai.

Copy for an information to: The Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Shipping, Transport Bhavan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001 [Attn.: Shri P.K. Sharma, Under Secretary [w.r.t. Ministry's letter no. letter No. F-20020/15/2016-MG dated 11.08.16].

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Transport Bhavan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001, Dated: | | August, 2016

The Director General,

Directorate General of Shipping, Beta Building, 9th Floor, i-Think Technocampus, Kanjur Marg (East), Mumbai-400042

Subject: Abolition of Cesses-reg.

Sir,
I am directed to forward herewith a copy of OM No. 15(106)-B(R)/2016 dated 27th July, 2016 received from Ministry of Finance regarding above mentioned subject informing that certain cesses have been abolished by way of repeal of the covering enactments/provisions as specified in the Fifteenth Schedule of the Finance Act, 2016 w.e.f. 01.04.2016, for your information.

- Extent of repeal related to The Merchant Shipping Act, 1958 is: section 261, clause (y) of section 262, section 356M, section 356N, clause (e) of section 356-O.
- DG(S) may take necessary action in the matter under intimation to the ministry.

Yours Sincerely

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(P.K. Sharma)

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Enclosed as above

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F. No. 15(106)-B(R)/2016

Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Economic Affairs (Budget Division)

North Block, New Delhi, Dated 27th July, 2016.

Office Memorandum

Abolition of Cesses -Reg. Subject:

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and say that certain cesses have been abolished by way of repeal of the covering enactments/provisions as specified in the Fifteenth Schedule of the Finance Act 2016 w.e.f. 01st April, 2016 (copy enclosed). In this connection it is requested to kindly bring this fact to the notice of all offices/officials, concerned with collection of these Cesses and to ensure that none of these Cesses is collected w.e.f. 01st April, 2016.

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(See section 239)

REPEALS

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Year	No.	Short title	(4)
(1)	(2)	(3)	/4/
1946	22	The Mica Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1946	Section 2.
1953	49	The Salt Cess Act, 1953	Section 261, clause (y) of section 262,
1958	44	The Merchant Shipping Act, 1958	section 261, clause (y) section 356M, section 356N, clause (e) of section 356-O
1963	41	The Textiles Committee Act, 1963	Sections 5A, 5D, 5E, 5F, clause (aa) of sub-section (1) of section 7 and clause (da) of sub-section (2) of section 22.
1972	62	The Limestone and Dolomite Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1972	Sections 3, 4 and clauses (a) to (f) of sub- section (2) of section 16.
1975	26	The Tobacco Cess Act, 1975	The whole.
1976	55	The Iron Ore Mines, Manganese Ore Mines and Chrome Ore Mines Labour Welfare Cess Act, 1976	Sections 3, 4, 5 and section 6.
1981	30	The Cine-workers Welfare Cess Act, 1981	Clause (a) of section 3.

AMENDMENTS

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Year	No.	Short title	(4)	
(1)	(2)	(3)		
1972	62	The Limestone and Dolomite Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1972	For sub-section (1) of section 5, the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—	
			"(1) The Central Government shall constitute a fund called the Limestone and Dolomite Labour Welfare Fund (hereinafter referred to as the Fund)."	Constitute of Fund.
1976	56	The Beedi Workers Welfare Coss Act, 1976	In sub-section (1) of section 3, for the words "not be less than fifty paisa or more than five rupees", the words "not be less than five rupees or more than twenty-four rupees" shall be substituted.	

DR. G NARAYANA RAJU, Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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