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Date: 21/11/2019

To

All Stakeholders

<u>Sub</u>: Notice to the Stakeholders with regard to implementation of DGS Order 05 of 2019 reg.

Sir,

This has reference to DGS Order 05 of 2019 issued on 16.10.2019 regarding Prohibition on use of Single Use Plastics. Subsequent to the issuance of the DGS Order 05 of 2019, the Directorate has received a number of representations seeking a revision of the implementation schedule so that the shipping companies put the logistical arrangements in place. Cruise liners have specifically requested a longer time for implementation.

The Directorate is in consultation with the shipping companies and cruise liners for a revised implementation schedule. All ships including Cruise liners are permitted to operate on Indian waters till a revised implementation schedule is finalized and an "Addendum to the DGS Order 05 of 2019" in this respect is issued. All ships are also permitted to avail reception facilities for all waste including single use plastics at all Indian ports.

This is issued with the approval of the Director General of Shipping, Gov't of India.

Yours faithfully

(विक्रांत राय / Vikrant Rai)

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