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TRADE NOTICE

Sub: Ship to Ship Lighterage (STS) Operations at anchorage, VOC Port, Tuticorin.

V.O.Chidambaranar Port Authority is pleased to inform that Customs Commissionerate, Tuticorin, vide Trade facility Circular No:01/2025 dated 21.07.2025, has published the procedure to be followed for Ship to Ship (STS) operations at anchorage within the jurisdiction of VOC Port.

This STS operation involves transfer of dry bulk, break bulk, liquid bulk and gas cargo from a mother vessel into various daughter vessels of smaller capacity through pipes, fenders, flexi hose, cranes etc to foreign and Indian Ports.

Trade fraternity is requested to utilize this service to enhance volume at VOC Port.


TRAFFIC MANAGER

Encl. Customs Trade Facility Circular

To:

- i. Tuticorin Ship Agents' Association (TSAA)
- ii. Tuticorin Customs Brokers' Association (TCBA)
- iii. Tuticorin Stevedores' Association (TSA)
- iv. AICCI/ICCI/CII/TCCI/All development partners/stakeholders of VOC Port, Tuticorin