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Subject: Constitution of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy

Refer to decision during 22nd NOS DCP meeting regarding constitution of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy for Major Ports.

2. Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy shall be awarded every year during National Oil Spill Disaster Contingency Plan (NOS-DCP) and preparedness meeting w.e.f. 2018. All the major ports can file their nomination every year for the award of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy. Port once awarded the Trophy shall be eligible for submission of their nomination for award on completion of 05 years period. In case, there is no port meeting the criteria, the Trophy shall not be awarded during that year.

3. The selection of port for the award of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy shall be in two phases as follows:-

(a) **Phase-I:** A detailed questionnaire will be circulated to all major ports and the reply solicited addressed to Director (FE), Coast Guard Headquarters, as promulgated, failing which the respective port nomination shall be disqualified for that year. Questionnaire will be evaluated by technical committee members and 03 ports as per merit will be shortlisted.

(b) **Phase-II:** Technical committee members will visit these 03 shortlisted ports for on the spot inspection. On recommendation of technical committee, one port will be selected for award of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy.

4. Initiatives of ports on following fronts will be the major criterion for award of Samudri Paryaavaran Sanrakshan Trophy:-

(a) Implementation of National Oil Spill Disaster Contingency Plan (NOS-DCP) provisions

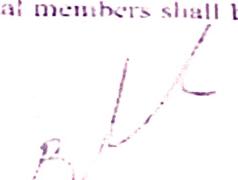
(b) Implementation of Environmental and Marine related regulations

- (c) Efforts towards reducing Green House Gases
- (d) Effective utilization of renewable energy
- (e) Policy on protection of Marine Environment and preservation of Marine Pollution
- (f) Water Conservation initiatives
- (g) Uptake and Hygiene of Port area.

* Minimum 05 members shall be present during Phase I & II from the Technical committee comprising of following members:-

- (a) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
- (b) Ministry of Earth Science
- (c) Ministry of Shipping
- (d) Ministry of Agriculture & Farmer Welfare
- (e) Ministry of Home Affairs
- (f) Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas
- (g) Indian Coast Guard
- (h) National Institute of Oceanography
- (i) Central Pollution Control Board
- (k) Oil and Natural Gas Corporation
- (l) Oil Industry Safety Directorate

* Travel expenses, boarding and lodging of individual members shall be borne by their parent Ministry/Department.



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