

**Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority
(Traffic Department)**

Minutes of the Meeting held on 16th April 2025 at 16:00Hrs.with representatives of Empty Container Yard (ECY) operators, Transport Association, Shipping Line Association regarding streamlining the operations at Empty Container Yards.

The List of the members present in the meeting is attached.

1. The Chairman, JNPA welcomed all present.
2. Dy. General Manager (Traffic) informed that JNPA has taken initiative to address the issues faced by Empty Container Yard Depot operators and Transporters. It was further informed that ECY operators formed their Association as per advice of JNPA. There have been meetings with transporters for addressing the issues. Also the meetings are conducted at the Ministry level. The purpose of today's meeting is to take the review of the actions and find the way forward.
3. ECY operator's representative informed that as per SOP online transaction has been started. Transporters representative informed that some ECY Operators are taking money in cash. This issue needs to be addressed by ECY operators Association.
4. Transporters suggested that similar to portal of transporters the ECY Association should form a portal and both these Portals will be communicating with each other. It was felt that this will help the Trade at large.
5. The Chairman, JNPA advised all present that members present can find the solution to the issue, if they sit together. The solution should be of win-win situation for both ECY Operators Association and Transporters association. He further informed that JNPA will help in all possible ways to develop the Portal.
6. The Chairman, JNPA advised DGM(Traffic) and Sr. Manager (Traffic) to co-ordinate with MS section and stake holders for development of portal and providing IT solution for online payment Gateway & expenses for the same will be borne by JNPA. The meeting between transporters Association representative and ECY operators Association representative should be conducted within Seven days. Same shall be attended by DGM (Traffic), DGM (MS) and Sr. Manager (Traffic).
7. ECY Operators representative informed that after formation of portal revised SOP will be circulated.
8. Transporters representative informed that shipping lines are not mentioning name of the ECY name and container numbers in Delivery Order (DO). In reply MANSa representative informed that some shipping lines are mentioning ECY name and container number on their DO, and further submitted that it is required to identify the shipping lines who are not issuing DO as decided.

9. The Chairman JNPA directed that no loaded or empty Tractor Trailer will be permitted to park on the road and to use the parking facilities provided by JNPA. JNPA is in process of creating Parking Plazas with modern facilities which will work 24x7.
10. Transporters representative informed that Bhavani Yard was previously available for parking of TTs. This yard has been closed by CIDCO Authority. In reply Chairman JNPA directed DGM (Traffic) to have meeting with CIDCO officials regarding availability of parking yards.
11. Subsequently issue of parking of TTs on road and Traffic congestion was discussed.
12. The Chairman JNPA informed that JNPA is coming with training facility (Simulator) for drivers. Around 1000 drivers will be trained quarterly.
13. New ECY with mechanized facility of stacking of JNPA will come up within three months. This ECY is required as JNPA will be achieving handling of Ten Million TEUs very soon.

Meeting ended with thanks to the chair.

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List of Participants

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Sr. No	Name	Designation	Organization
1	Shri. Unmesh Sharad Wagh	Chairman	JNPA
2	Shri. S. K. Kulkarni,	DGM (Traffic)	JNPA
3	Shri. R. D. Rao	Sr. Manager (Traffic)	JNPA
4	Shri Abhay Khare,	Manager (T- C & C)	JNPA
5	Shri. Y. B. Patil	Dy. Manager (T-C&C)	JNPA
6	Shri. D. A. Gawade	Dy. Manager (T-C&C)	JNPA
7	Shri. Shankar Pillai	COO	DEPOT EFC
8	Shri. Jatin Khanna	DIRECTOR	UNION
9	Naved Alam	AGM	MSC
10	Satish Madival	Manager	CMA CGM
11	Pravin Paithankar	President	MHVICOA
12	Shri. Sanjay B. Dhawale	Director	Sainath Transport
13	Prakash Bhanushali	Vice President	MHVICOA
14	Govardhan Nimse	Director	R. D. Roadlines
15	Shri. Amit Potdar	Member	NSCOWA
16	Shri. Pandhari Ganjave	Member	NSCOWA
17	Shri. Sandeep Naik	General Secretary	NSDCA
18	Shri. Bakshi MD Hanif	GM/OPS	SAMSARA/ MANSA