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## TRADE NOTICE

Ministry of Shipping has taken several initiatives to improve “Ease of Doing Business” in India and one of the key initiatives is to exchange trade related documents and information electronically through the Port Community System (PCS), a centralized web based message exchange portal/platform at national level encompassing the Indian maritime community, which has been in place since 2007.

Lately, the PCS have been migrated into PCS 1x, which is a cloud based solution, with no. of enhanced functionalities, user friendly interface and features, to facilitate the trade, in exchanging trade related data, electronically. The new transformed version of PCS 1x was launched on 11.12.2018, which is more user friendly and reliable platform for electronic message exchange. Necessary Cyber Security related concerns have also been addressed and incorporated into the PCS 1x platform, for enhanced security and data privacy issues.

However, it is observed that even after one year of the launch of the new version of PCS 1x, the stakeholders are not fully on-board, as a result of which the community is not able to leverage the technological benefits of a seamless message exchange platform, under the “Ease of Doing Business” initiative, by the Ministry of Shipping, Govt. of India.

It is therefore advised to all stakeholders of the Port and Shipping community to engage themselves and be on-board with PCX 1x, for electronic exchange of trade related data, with immediate effect. (Through [www.indianpcs.gov.in](http://www.indianpcs.gov.in) )

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