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TRADE NOTICE

Rebate on VRC for Coastal Run Container Ships

It is informed that the following rebate scheme will be available for container ships apart from the rebates allowed on Vessel Related Charges (VRC) under the prevailing Integrated Incentive Scheme effective up to 31.03.2026.

Scheme 4A: Rebate on VRC for coastal run container ships directly calling at VOC Port after sailing from ports in Gujarat and West Bengal and discharging at least 50% of the total number of containers carried by the ship at VOC Port

S. No	No. of Voyages	Rebate on
	per Year	VRC (%)
1	Up to 24	40
2	25-39	45
3	40 and above	50

The scheme is effective from 14.04.2025 for a period of 6 months, up to 13.10.2025, and will be reviewed after 3 months for continuation.

The number of voyages specified above will be discounted proportionately in case eligibility for rebate is to be determined for a period less than one year.

Cargo interests are requested to avail of the facility towards enhancing volumes through additional ship calls.

TRAFFIC MANAGER

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- 1. Tuticorin Ship Agents Association (TSAA)
- 2. Tuticorin Customs Brokers Association (TCBA)
- 3. Tuticorin Stevedores Association (TSA)
- 4. All development partners / Stakeholders of VOC Port

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