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**(Merchant Marine Officers' Union)**

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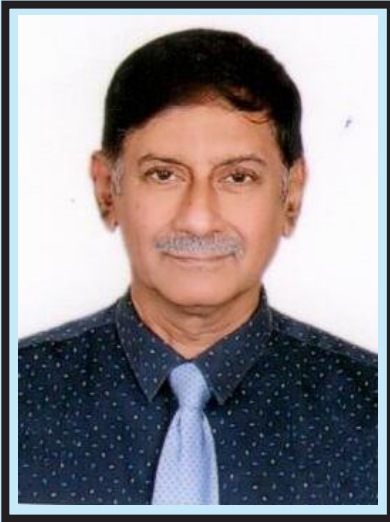
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## *From MUI Team*



*Shipping industry continues to face more challenges related to environment, training, welfare and psychological health of seafarers. We need to look at the mental aspect of seafarers, specially those who have commenced their careers at sea. Issue of Abandonment of Seafarers is proving to be a challenge. The Directorate General of Shipping (DGS), is taking keen interest in cases pertaining to Abandonment of Seafarers.*

*An organisation for Women - (WIMA) Women In Maritime Association is proposed to be constituted very soon. Ex Chairman and Managing Director of The Shipping Corporation of India (SCI), Mrs. H.K. Joshi will be at the helm. Office of the DGS alongwith The Maritime Union of India (MUI) and MUI Womens Wing will be providing all necessary support with regards to Skill Enhancement and Women in Child Development.*

*MUI, alongwith The Company of Master Mariners (CMMI) and The Institute of Marine Engineers (India) (IMEI) are in the process of establishing an E-library of professional books which will help members of these organisations. Access to the e-library will be free for these members. Officers appearing for various grades of examinations will benefit the most, as they will have free access to all the Nautical and Engineering books, alongwith reference journals etc..*

*The Maritime Union of India (MUI) is sharing office space with Goa Maritime Officers Association (GMOA) at Margao. Officers in and near Margao can now visit our Liaison office for all matters located at Goa Maritime Officers Association (GMOA), 407, Shree Plaza, 4th Floor, Comba, Margao, Goa 403601.*

*Meanwhile, MUI continues to resolve various issues of seafarers and their families. We welcome seafarers to contact us for all their issues.*

*Captain Tushar Pradhan  
General Secretary*

## HAVE YOU KEPT YOUR MUI MEMBERSHIP UPDATED? ENSURE CONTINUITY OF YOUR MUI MEMBERSHIP

### PAYMENT METHODS FOR RENEWAL OF MUI MEMBERSHIP

MUI Membership can be taken, using any of the following methods :

1) MUI website : [www.maritimeunionofindia.com](http://www.maritimeunionofindia.com) (*details on next page*)

OR

2) Through your banks' net banking facility to MUI bank account/s (*details on next page*)

After carrying out online transaction kindly email us at [membership@maritimeunionofindia.com](mailto:membership@maritimeunionofindia.com) your name, date, amount membership number, residential address and online payment receipt / screen shot of transaction. This email will help us to confirm your transaction, update your membership record with us.

3) Download MUI software application for Android "Maritime Union Of India" on your Android phone through Google Play Store). We will be launching the same for iOS platform (Apple) very soon.

4) Print Membership Form from MUI website and post it to our Head Office at Mumbai alongwith your Cheque or Bank Demand Draft.

5) Personal visit to MUI Head Office or Branch Office at Kolkata or Liaison Offices at Chandigarh, Chennai, Kochi, Lucknow, Patna, Tuticorin, Visakhapatnam (see page no. 2 for contact details)

Credit and Debit Card can be utilised to carry out payment at Mumbai and Kolkata office)

You can tear the MUI Membership Form in this issue along the dotted line, fill it up and post it to MUI Mumbai Office alongwith Cheque or Demand Draft

in favour of : The Maritime Union of India  
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## FOR ATTENTION OF MUI MEMBERS AND SEAFARER OFFICERS

Kindly ensure that your Maritime Union of India (MUI) membership is kept validated every year.

This will ensure that you are supported in case of eventualities that may occur during your service on board vessel or after sign-off. In case you need to resolve any matter with your ship owner/Agent, interceding by the MUI can effectively assist you more effectively, if you are a fully-paid up member Officer of the Union.

### MUI MEMBERSHIP

Log on to our website : [www.maritimeunionofindia.com](http://www.maritimeunionofindia.com)

Enter your Log in Details (Membership Number and Password provided by MUI).

If you do not have Log in details, you can click on "Forgot Password." You will then have to fill up details like MUI Membership Number, CDC No., Date of Birth. After you click to submit these details, you will be asked to provide your email id. On entering the same you will have to click "submit" once again.

You will then receive all the Log In details on email id provided by you, and using them you can log on to MUI website.

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### Alternatively, you can also visit your bank website and using below details carry out a transaction :

Following details would be essential for carrying out the transaction, which will ensure safe and proper deposit to MUI account. Your MUI Membership Fees can be deposited through online process in ANY ONE OF THE BANK ACCOUNTS OF THE MARITIME UNION OF INDIA :

*Account Title* : THE MARITIME UNION OF INDIA  
*Bank Name* : HDFC Bank, Elphinstone House  
17 Murzban Road, Near C.S.T., Mumbai 400001.  
*Account Number*: 03551450000409

*Bank Account Type*: Savings Account  
*MICR Code*: 400240052  
*IFSC Code*: HDFC0000355  
*Swift Code*: HDFCINBXXX

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**Officers are requested to keep with their next of kin  
a copy of the Bilateral Agreement they have signed  
before sign-on with the respective company they are serving under.  
It can also be sent to MUI office, Mumbai, for our records.**

**For all queries related to hospitalisation and domiciliary medical expenses reimbursement kindly contact :**

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You can avail Convalescent Home facility at various locations, which you, as Member of the Union can take advantage of :

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# NOTICE OF ACCOMMODATION FACILITY FOR MUI MEMBERS AT VIRAR, MUMBAI

PLEASE TAKE NOTE that the MARITIME UNION OF INDIA is having two flats viz. (i) Flat No.403, 4th Floor, admeasuring No.361 square feet in the Building No.41, Rustomjee Evershine Global City, Avenue "J", Building Nos.41 to 44 Co-operative Housing Society Limited, Narangi Bye Pass Road, Virar (West), Palghar : 401 303 situated at Village Narangi, Taluka : Vasai, District : Palghar and

(ii) Flat No.501, 5th Floor, admeasuring 503 square feet in the Building No.33, Rustomjee Evershine Global City, Avenue "J", Building Nos.32 to 36 Co-operative Housing Society Limited, Narangi Bye Pass Road, Virar (West), Palghar : 401 303 situated at Village Narangi, Taluka : Vasai, District : Palghar, which are available to seafarer officers who are members of The Maritime Union of India at nominal charge of Rs.1000/- (Rupees One Thousand Only) per day.

Seafarer officers, who desire to avail this facility, may please contact the head office of the Maritime Union of India.

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Members are requested to mention their Membership Number, Rank, CDC number, residence address and telephone number, mobile number (self and spouse), email address, name of company they are currently serving in, when corresponding with us. This will enable us to keep your details updated and ensure smooth communication in all matters.

Officers are requested to keep a copy of the Contract Letter and Bilateral Agreement they have signed with the respective company they are serving under, before sign-on with their Next of Kin for reference. It can also be sent to MUI office, Mumbai, for our records.

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**The  
Maritime  
Union  
of India  
(MUI)  
Liaison Office  
in Margao, Goa**

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## 34th Triennial Convention of Hind Mazdoor Sabha

Hind Mazdoor Sabha (HMS), with headquarters at New Delhi, held its 34th Triennial Convention from 3rd to 5th January, 2024 at MLA quarters, Civil Lines, Nagpur, Maharashtra.

The delegate team of the Maritime Union of India (MUI), led by Capt. Tushar Pradhan - General Secretary, attended the meeting.

Workers from across the nation gathered at the Bharat Ratna Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar statue, the central point. They represented all sectors of the economy, with a significant presence of women workers. Prominent leaders who garlanded the statue of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar included:

- Comrade Shoya Yoshida, General Secretary, International Confederation of Trade Union (Asia Pacific)
- Brother Ariel B. Castro, Desk Officer, ACTRAV - ILO, Geneva
- Shri Ajay Raj, General Secretary, NTUC, Nepal
- Dr. Fahimuddin Pasha, Director (Worker's Rights), ITUC - AP
- Shri Abhishek Jaiswal, Member of Legislative Assembly (Maharashtra Cabinet Minister)
- Shri Krupal Balaji Tumane, Hon'ble Member of Parliament
- Comrade Harbhajan Singh Sidhu, General Secretary, Hind Mazdoor Sabha
- Brother CA Raja Sridhar, President, Hind Mazdoor Sabha

A grand, massive rally started from the Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar statue to the venue of the open session at Aamdar Niwas, Nagpur. The rally was led by Comrade Harbhajan Singh Sidhu and Brother CA Raja Sridhar, along with other distinguished guests, including MLAs, union leaders, and others. More than 5000 workers from organized, unorganized, agriculture, construction, and various sectors of the economy participated.

Main Resolutions Approved:

1. Revocation of Anti-Worker Labour Codes, 2. Fight Against Anti-Worker Policies; 3. Revival of Old Pension Scheme (OPS); 4. Fill Vacant Posts and Regularize Jobs; 5. Stop Privatization and Corporatization; 6. Statutory Minimum Wage and Pension; 7. Recognition of Scheme Workers; 8. Convene Indian Labour Conference (ILC); 9. Enhancement of MGNREGA Budget and Urban Expansion; 10. Free Quality Education and Enhanced Budget; 11. Quality Public Health Service and Enhanced Budget; 12. Regularization of Apprentices; 13. Respect International Labour Standards; 14. Check on Price Hike and GST Removal; 15. 33% Reservation for Women; 16. Trade Union Solidarity.



## Goa Maritime Officers Union (GMOA) holds “Seafarers’ Connect”

The Goa Maritime Officers Association are organizing a pivotal event, Seafarers Connect, dedicated to addressing the challenges and promoting the well-being of the seafaring community in Goa. The significant event, held on 3rd February, 2024, at Ravindra Bhavan (Margao). Seafarers Connect aims to bring together key stakeholders, industry experts, and community leaders to engage in discussions on critical issues faced by seafarers.

Shri Shripad Naik, Union Minister of State for Shipping, presided as esteemed Chief Guest.

Capt. (Dr.) Daniel J. Joseph, Deputy Director General of Shipping (Crew), addressed the seafarers from both, Merchant Navy and Cruise Liners.

Theme of the event, under “Seafarers Connect” was Hum Saath Saath Hain.

Topics such as Mental Well-being, Seafarers Sign On / Sign Off, Shore Leave problems faced by Seafarers in Indian ports, Issues specific to Goan Seafarers, specially those who have acquired Portuguese nationality, steps taken by DGS recently related to a series of incidents, life threatening situation prevailing in Red Sea, addressing issues faced by Seafarers during exams, revalidation, and issue of documentation on behalf of MMD and DGS were discussed.



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# Women on Wheels : 2024

A Marvellous Drive for the 'Merchant Navy' through the Beautiful North East  
Mrs. Suchita Javadekars' Drive Through North East India



Amazing Namaste Foundation held their Launch Ceremony in New Delhi for the next Drive to be held from 4th Feb to 10th Feb 2024, which was presided over by Mrs Rekha Sharma, Chairperson, National Commission for Women, and Mrs Urmila Mahanta, Assamese actress & Brand Ambassador for WoW S2.

Mrs Suchita Sudhir Javadekar, a mother of two resides in Mumbai. She belongs to a proud family of 3, back to back, generations of seafarers. Her husband is a Master Mariner, father-in-law, as well as her son have embraced a seagoing career. Her son sails as a 2nd Officer in the merchant navy, while her daughter is in the creative field.

On the other hand, Suchita has been an avid rally driver, having completed successfully 15 car rallies, as well as participating in WoW 2023. Who better indeed to represent the Merchant Navy at a Drive through the North East!



Why North East ? The North East of our country, which comprises of 7 distinct and beautiful states, has unfortunately never received enough attention of the Merchant Navy, and we are missing tapping

With Ms. Rekha Sharma - Chairperson of National Commission for women

that reservoir of abundant and willing capable youth, well suited to the seagoing profession.



Consequently, Mrs. Suchita Javadekar's successful completion of the Women on Wheels (WoW) Drive across the Northeast states of India, held under the auspices of Amazing Namaste India, serves as a remarkable achievement and a catalyst for advocacy, particularly for promoting merchant navy employment opportunities among people of these

parts.

Here's a concise overview of how her journey intertwines with this advocacy. Her drive showcases resilience and determination, which are critical qualities for careers in the challenging environment of the merchant navy. By embarking on such a journey, she has set a precedent that may encourage others, including women, to pursue careers in traditionally male-dominated fields, including the merchant navy.

Mrs. Javadekar's endeavour has attracted tonnes of media and public attention, creating a platform to discuss merchant navy careers. Through interviews, social media, and public speaking engagements, she has raised awareness about the career opportunities available in the maritime sector.

More specifically her success has empowered other women by demonstrating that gender is not a barrier to pursuing one's passions, whether on the road or at sea. Her experience of this drive of 8 days could be used to mentor and inspire women to gain the necessary qualifications to join the merchant navy.

Partnerships with maritime academies and institutions could be formed to encourage the enrollment of women into merchant navy training programs. Mrs. Javadekar can work with shipping companies to help create more inclusive policies that welcome and support female officers and crew members. She can also help spread knowledge about the educational paths leading to careers in the merchant navy.

Suchita's accomplishment is not just a personal milestone but also a platform for societal change, especially in the context of opening up merchant navy employment opportunities to a broader and more diverse talent pool that is the North East of our nation.

Mrs Javadekar's Women on Wheels Drive was Graciously Backed by:

Marex Media, The Maritime Union of India (MUI) & Zodiac

"Amazing Namaste" is a community effort to bring out rich and vivid experiences of the North East of India. A participatory effort to create greater understanding of the region by publishing fact based content of and from the region.



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## Maritime 10K Challenge

Mumbai Port Authority (MbPA) has completed 150 years of its establishment. To commemorate this occasion, MbPA organized a marathon on Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2024.

The event offered participation in various events such as 10 kms. run competitive, 5 kms. run non-competitive, 3 kms. Family Fun Walk, \*10Km Cycle – Competitive.



Mr. Balakrishna Ranade from MUI Office took part in the 10 kms. competitive run and was awarded the participation medal.

The Maritime 10K Run served as a unique platform to showcase the Maritime industry to a broader audience. By joining hands with k2k Sports



Management, the Mumbai Port Authorities, create awareness and appreciation for the invaluable contributions of the Maritime sector to our daily lives and the global economy.

Participating in this event offered a prominent stage to demonstrate the maritime industry's commitment to corporate social responsibility, as well as an opportunity to engage with the community in a positive and meaningful way. The run was not only a celebration of fitness and teamwork but also a chance to connect with people from diverse backgrounds and educate them about the vital role the maritime industry plays in our interconnected world. Additionally, this event serves as an excellent team-building activity and a platform to engage with employees outside the regular work environment.



## MUI and NUSI Celebrate Womens Day

The Maritime Union of India (MUI) and National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI) celebrated Womens Day on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2024. It is globally observed on 8<sup>th</sup> March.

This celebration was a tribute to the contribution of Women in the Maritime Industry.



Ms. Saleha Shaikh – Founder & Head – MUI Womens Wing welcomed those gathered. Ms. Abhilasha Sonawane – NUSI Womens Wing Co-ordinator shared details of initiatives provided by NUSI for benefit of Women family members of their Seafarers.

An impressive list of Guests on the dias comprised of : Chief Guest, Ms. Kavyanjali Dube - Deputy Commandant of Central Industrial Security Force (CISF), Guests of Honour, Dr. Ratna Sharma – Principal & HOD of Hindi Department, Khalsa College, Matunga, Ms. Kalpana Desai – Board Member of Mumbai Port Authority and

Treasurer – Transport and Dock Workers Union, Ms. Arushi Sethi – Co-Founder of Trijog, which is a mental health organization.

Each speaker shared her views and work related experiences and highlighted the vital role played by women in all sectors today. They acknowledged the role of women in maritime sector, which has challenges peculiar to the profession. The regular co-ordination with Women Seafarers and spouses of Seafarers maintained by MUI Womens Wing was highlighted. Efforts put in by both Unions to support participation of Women in Maritime sector were highlighted.



## MAREX INTERVIEW

### Anchored Together : Proud Matriarch Of Sailor Kin

Under the auspices of Marex Media and Mindspeak, an interview compered by Ms. Deepti Mankad was held featuring Capt. Tushar Pradhan and his proud mother Mrs. Pushpa Pradhan, aged 88 years.

Mrs. Pradhan mentioned she was proud that her husband, as well as two sons are Captains, and one son, a Chief Engineer. She mentioned that her son was an obedient child as well as mischeivous who loved to make friends. Capt. Pradhan recalled that when he was selected to join as a Cadet she was overjoyed. He stated that his mother played the role of both parents, as his father too was sailing, and had responsibility of ten family members. His mother reminisced the incident when her son accompanied his father to Goa, and the respect that his father received as a Captain. This inspired him to become a Captain. Ms. Mankad agreed that she too received respect, as daughter of a Captain. Captain Pradhan mentioned about a change in his life after marriage. His wife Ms. Kalpana took on many responsibilities in the large family.



Capt. Pradhan mentioned that merchant shipping is the best profession and more youngsters should join this profession as it ensures that one



Captain Tushar Pradhan with his mother Pushpa Pradhan aged 88 years. becomes a perfect man. Joining ship a young age, being away from family, given a lot of responsibilities, learning new things, taking quick decisions changes a person. We realise that people respect Captains and those who work at sea. His mother recalled having sailed with her husband to the U.S. and Far East and being mostly being sea sick at that time. Mrs. Pradhan stated that she is fond of reading topics related to medicine and is also interested in music.

Capt. Pradhan stated that he had to wear a different cap, now that he is General Secretary of The Maritime Union of India. He stated that one needs to listen to family members of seafarers, as he is their guardian, to know what is actually on their minds. As a Union, we need to take their concerns to ship owners and ship managers, as required. Dealing with Government agencies is very challenging, specially in cases of abandonment of seafarers, criminalisation of seafarers in various countries.

The interview received excellent feedback and served to highlight the contribution and understanding of parents in ensuring a successful career at sea.



## **Nomination of Captain Tushar Pradhan on Board of Trustees of Seamen's Provident Fund Organisation (SPFO)**

Based on letter no. 5-VI/0015/2023-24 dated 01.09.2023 & 08.01.24 from SPFO requesting the Ministry to issue a notification regarding change of nominee in the Government Gazette Notification regarding the composition of the Board of Trustees of SPFO in respect of Composition of the Board of Trustees of SPFO.

Notification dated 27.06.2024 duly signed by AS (PSW), incorporating the changes as proposed by SPFO, was uploaded on the portal of E-gazette and got published by Government of India Press on 28.06.2024.



## **The Maritime Union of India to launch E-Library for members**

MUI, alongwith The Company of Master Mariners (CMMI) and The Institute of Marine Engineers (India) (IMEI) are in the process of establishing an E-library of professional books which will help members of these organisations. Access to the e-library will be free for these members. Officers who are appearing for various examinations will not be burdened with acquiring hard copies of study books.



## **Keel laying ceremony of first Naval Cadet Training Ship being built under class of Indian Register of Shipping (IRS) held in Chennai**

Indian Register of Shipping (IRS), India's leading international ship classification society has laid the keel of first Indian Navys' Cadets' Training Ship. Built under Class of IRS at L&T's shipyard at Kattupalli, Chennai.



This is one of three vessels being under IRS Classification. The first vessel is designed to embark 210 cadets including 60 female cadets from overseas. These ships will be equipped with state-of-the art facilities to serve as a maritime learning hub, providing hands-on experience, training in practical skills as well as theoretical knowledge to cadets, keeping in mind, meeting future requirements of Indian and foreign navies, whose cadets will embark. These ships will also have capabilities to be deployed for Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR) operations.

Cmdr. K.K. Dhawan (Retd.) Head Defence of IRS sated : IRS is delighted to commemorate the keel laying ceremony of our first Cadet Training Ship. This is a testament to our commitment to supporting Indian shipbuilding and associated industries, including Micro, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (MSMEs), as majority of the equipment and systems would be sourced from indigenous manufacturers. We are proud to be part of the Indian Navy's puruit towards indigenous shipbuilding and Government of India's vision of 'Aatma Nirbhar Bharat' and 'Make in India' initiatives.



## The Maritime Union of India Women's Wing Celebrates the IMO International Day for Women in Maritime

Representatives of Agreements team from International Transport Workers' Federation (ITF), London visited India from 27th to 31st May, 2024.

MUI and NUSI representatives visited a number of companies to hold discussions pertaining to Agreements between them and the two Unions, and ITF. Signing of Special Agreements was also discussed and emphasised.



# MUI submits Pre-Budget proposals for Shipping Industry in New Delhi

Capt. Tushar Pradhan was invited to New Delhi to speak at the Pre-Budget Interactive meeting held on 01 July, 2024 in the presence of Honorable Minister of Shipping - Shri Sarbananda Sonowal - Minister of Ports, Shipping & Waterways, Government of India. Below is the letter submitted to the Ministry in this regard.



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To  
The Secretary  
Shri T. K. Ramachandran  
Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways  
New Delhi.

Respected Sir,

Thank you for giving The Maritime Union of India the opportunity to speak at the Pre-Budget Interactive meeting held on 01 July, 2024 in New Delhi in presence the Honorable Minister of Shipping – Shri Sarbananda Sonowal - Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways, Government of India.

The Maritime Union of India submits its recommendations which were mentioned at the meeting with additional proposals as stated below:

- Allocation of budgets to Maritime Training Institutes (MTIs) to enhance training facilities keeping in mind the advancements in technology and the commensurate competency required to handle them.

Modern Shipping will involve training of Indian seafarers for handling of Alternate fuels, advanced Simulator Training, Crew Resource Management (CRM) and enhancement of safety. To further operate Maritime Autonomous Surface Ships (MASS), extensive training will be required for using Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Mixed Reality (MR) for which a larger budget allocation will be required.

The rising cost of training can deter individuals from pursuing a sea career, despite their willingness to join sea service. To align with the Prime Minister's vision of achieving the goal of contributing 20% of the global pool of Indian seafarers, it is imperative to allocate sufficient budget for this purpose in all sectors of shipping.

India's vision of achieving gender equality by increasing the number of women by the year 2030 requires separate budget allocation for induction and training purposes to enhance their skills.

- In order to attract more Indian seafarers on Indian flag ships plying in both, domestic and coastal waters income tax exemption should be provided so as to compete with the wage scale on foreign flag vessels.
- Reduction of NRI days from 182 to 100 for those serving on foreign flagged ships. This will not only attract more seafarers to join such vessels but will also attract more youngsters to pursue a sea career, from various Tier II and Tier III cities of India.
- Allocation of budgets to handle cases of abandoned Indian seafarers is essential. In situations where ship owners are untraceable it is crucial to cover such costs for court expenses, arbitrations, port disembarkation expenses, and consequent repatriation of the seafarers to hometown .

Best Regards,

Capt. Tushar Pradhan  
General Secretary

## The Maritime Union of India Women's Wing Celebrates the IMO International Day for Women in Maritime

**Mumbai, 30th May 2024** – The Maritime Union of India (MUI) Women's Wing successfully hosted a landmark seminar titled "**Safe Horizons: Women Shaping the Future of Maritime Safety**" in celebration of the IMO International Day for Women in Maritime. The event took place at The Club, Mumbai, and brought together distinguished speakers, industry leaders, maritime professionals, maritime training institutes, students, and enthusiastic participants.



The day's proceedings began at 9:00 am with registration and breakfast, followed by the inaugural session at 10:00 am. The traditional lamp lighting ceremony, symbolizing enlightenment and hope, was gracefully performed by esteemed guests of honour including Capt. Rajesh Tandon, Capt. Shiv Halbe, and Mr. S.M.Rai, Capt. Manish Kumar (Deputy DG Shipping), Mrs. H.K. Joshi (Former CMD of SCI), and Mr. Deepak Shetty, alongside Ms. Saleha Shaikh (Founder & Head Coordinator of the MUI Women's Wing), Capt.

Tushar Pradhan (General Secretary, MUI), and Ms. Pouruchishti Ukaji (Core team member of MUI Women's Wing), who opened the seminar and served as the host for the day.



Ms. Saleha Shaikh, Founder & Head Coordinator of the MUI Women's Wing, delivered a warm welcome address which highlighted the story behind the MUI Women's Wing's inception and the seven years journey since. Capt. Tushar Pradhan, General Secretary of MUI, with his welcoming speech, talked about how the entire maritime industry needs to come together and work towards diversity and Gender Equality. He also emphasised on how the Zero tolerance policy should not be



just a policy on paper, rather it needs to be implemented as a culture and followed by companies and individuals.

Guests of Honour, Mrs. H.K. Joshi, Former CMD of SCI, and Mr. Deepak Shetty, Senior Advisor at MACN India, also addressed the gathering, emphasizing the critical role of women in maritime safety. Although Mr. Shyam Jagannathan, IAS, Director General of Shipping, could not attend in

person, he shared his insightful perspectives through an informative video, which was highly appreciated by the audience. Capt. Manish Kumar (Deputy DG Shipping) shared an informative presentation on the number of women seafarers. He emphasised upon working towards women empowerment and spoke at length about the DGS initiatives of 'Sagar Mein Yog' (Well-being at Sea) and 'Sagar Mein Sammaan'(Honour at Sea).



He highlighted that the commitment to safety extended far beyond technical expertise and women were now fostering a more inclusive environment where everyone feels empowered to voice themselves, identifying risks and contributing to the solutions.

The seminar aimed to foster discussions on relevant topics related to Women in Maritime, seeking to find solutions and create actionable plans. The event sessions provided a platform for exchanging ideas and experiences, with a focus on empowering women in the maritime sector.





**Key Points from Panel Discussions:**  
**Session 1, "Chai-Pe-Charcha: Anchored in Strength: The Feminine Odysseys,"** moderated by Ms. Saleha Shaikh, highlighted the personal and professional journeys of women in the maritime industry. Panellists shared stories of challenges and

triumphs, inspiring attendees with their experiences.

**Panellists:**

- Ms. Rubiya Bano (Add Third Off, LPG Gas Carriers, Synergy Marine)
- Ms. Sumita Banerji (Senior Vice President, Allcargo Group)
- Ms. Manisha Patil (Former Crane Operator, HSE Manager, DP World)
- Ms. Lea Fernandes (Manager FPD, Bulk & Container, Elegant Marine (Fleet Management))
- Ms. Nafeesa Moloobhoy (MD - Moloobhoy Group of Companies)





**Session 2, "The Power of Mentorship: Women Uplifting Women in Maritime,"** moderated by Capt. Shoukat Mukherjee (Founder & CEO of The Naval Connection), explored the significant impact of mentorship in empowering women professionals. Panellists discussed the role of mentorship in career advancement and leadership development.

**Panellists:**

- Mrs. H.K. Joshi (Former CMD, SCI)
- Capt. Shashank Jahagirdhar (MD,

Country Head, MTM Ship Mgmt)

- Capt. Mini Verma (Manager, Fleet Care/ Fleet Management Ltd)
- Ms. Delna Shroff (Suptd Mental Health & Wellness, Bernhard Schulte Ship Management)
- Ms. Priyanka Gupta (Director HR - Shore - Crew Mgmt & Wellbeing Head for Seafarers, AESM)

**Session 3, "Supporting Women Seafarers at Sea,"** moderated by Tejashri Kishore (Deputy Manager - Fleet Care / Fleet Management Ltd), focused on addressing the unique challenges faced by women seafarers and advocating for support systems to ensure their well-being and success at sea.

**Panellists:**

- Ms. Deepti Singh (Chief Officer, Fleet Management)
- Ms. Priyanka Tiwari (Third Officer, Fleet Management)
- Mr. Chirag Bahri (International Operations Manager, ISWAN)
- Capt. Girish Phadnis (Industry Mentor, Former Chairman, MASSA)
- Dr. Neeta Mhatre (Psychotherapist, Founder - ReachOut)

**Session 4, "Synergizing Seafarers: Training for Inclusive Maritime Excellence,"** moderated by Ms. Gurleen Kaur (Sr Marine People Manager, Maersk India), emphasized the importance of comprehensive training programs to address the needs of a diverse workforce. Panellists discussed the development of training modules promoting inclusivity and excellence in maritime operations.

**Panellists:**

- Mr. Maneesh Pradhan (MD, Global Dry Fleet Synergy Group)
- Capt. (Dr) Ashutosh Apandkar (Principal, TS Rahman)

- Dr. Deepti Mankad (Founder MindSpeak, Wellness Coach and Counsellor)
- Ms. Parnita Rasal (Senior Psychologist, Anglo-Eastern Maritime Academy)
- Ms. Nyari Nain (Fleet Superintendent, Maersk)

The event concluded with a felicitation ceremony, recognizing key personalities of the MUI Women's Wing. Mrs. Pratibha Pandey, Mrs. Lata Khatri, and Ms. Pradnya Ghayvat were honored as Outstanding Personalities of MUI Women's Wing. This was followed by a vote of thanks delivered by Mrs. Bharati Bhandarkar of Bhandarkar Publications. The day wrapped up with tea and coffee, providing attendees with a chance to network and reflect on the day's discussions.

Capt Tushar Pradhan, General Secretary of MUI concluded the evening by acknowledging the effort his team and the industry support for the grand success of MUI seminar.

Ms. Saleha Shaikh expressed her gratitude by saying, "We would like to thank the industry for wholeheartedly supporting this event and turning up in large numbers. We are overwhelmed with the response, and it goes to show how much importance women hold in the maritime industry."

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to TNC Events for their impeccable event management and to the anchor, Ms. Pouruchisti Ukaji, who kept the event lively and engaging.

The success of this seminar underscores our commitment to fostering a safer and more inclusive future in maritime. Thank you to all who participated and contributed to this significant event.

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## Singapore Maritime Officers Union (SMOU) officials visit MUI Chennai liaison office and hold a Cadet Award Presentation Ceremony

Mr. Rahim Bin Jaffar - President, Mr. Gwee Guo Duan - Assistant General Secretary, Mr. Mohammed Farhan Bin Mohammed Fadillah - Assistant General Secretary, Mr. Ismail Bin Ahamad - Assistant Treasurer, Mr. Tan Geh Ting - Assistant Treasurer from Singapore Maritime Officers Union (SMOU) visited MUI Chennai liaison office. They were appraised about the working of the office. After having spent a substantial amount of time, they expressed their appreciation about the role of MUI which is well spread out throughout India. In the evening, a Prize Distribution Ceremony for Wavelink Cadets who have graduated was held. Capt. Tushar Pradhan hand out the top five prizes. Various performances by the Cadets captivated the audience.



Members are requested to mention their Membership Number, Rank, CDC number, residence address and telephone number, mobile number (self and spouse), email address, name of company they are currently serving in, when corresponding with us. This will enable us to keep your details updated and ensure smooth communication in all matters.

Officers are requested to keep a copy of the Contract Letter and Bilateral Agreement they have signed with the respective company they are serving under, before sign-on with their Next of Kin for reference. It can also be sent to MUI office, Mumbai, for our records.

## **The Maritime Union of India and ICC Shipping Association (ICCSA) Agreement (MIC) (for Coastal ships) has been formalised**

A Collective Bargaining Agreement between The Maritime Union of India (MUI) and The ICC Shipping Association (ICCSA) has been signed. This Agreement will be valid from 1st April, 2024 to 31 December, 2028.

Terms and Conditions therein are applicable to Merchant Navy Officers employed on “Coastal Vessels”, - as defined in the Merchant Shipping Notice No. 7 of 2020 dated 24th April, 2020 - vessels plying exclusively on the Indian coast, within Indian territorial waters (within 20 NM) owned/operated/managed by the member companies of the ICCSA. A Trust, namely, Coastal Maritime Officers Welfare Trust (CMOWT) has been formed to provide welfare activities for officers sailing on such vessels.

MUI would like to urge Indian companies who are or would like to be members of ICCSA to approach MUI to cover such vessels. Guidance related to the CBA will be provided.



## **The Maritime Union of India Foreign Owners Representatives and Ship Managers Association (FOSMA) Maritime Association Of Shipowners Ship Managers And Agents (MASSA) Model Collective Agreement (MFM) For Officers Serving on Indian Flag Vessels has been formalised**

A Model Collective Agreement between MUI, FOSMA AND MASSA has been signed. This Agreement sets out the standard terms and conditions applicable to Indian Seafarers (Officers) serving on Indian Flag vessels. The terms of this Agreement shall be applicable to all categories of Seafarer Officers engaged on board ships, through member companies of FOSMA and MASSA.

MUI would like to urge companies having Indian Flag vessels, who are or would like to be members of FOSMA or MASSA to approach MUI to cover such vessels. Guidance related to the CBA will be provided.



## **The Maritime Union of India and Turkish Union (DAD-DER) Formalise an MOU and CBA**

An MOU and Collective Bargaining Agreement between The Maritime Union of India (MUI) and Deniz Çalışanları Dayanışma Derneği (DAD-DER) has been finalised.

Based on the IBF Framework CBA, MUI will work together to improve the rights and conditions, to solve the problems of Indian seafarers on ships owned/managed by Turkish companies and covered by ITF/DAD-DER agreements.

MUI would like to urge companies to approach MUI to cover such vessels. Guidance related to the CBA will be provided.



## **8th Administrative Committee Meeting held with All Japan Seamens Union (JSU) and International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ)**

The 8th Administrative Committee Meeting between All Japan Seamens Union (JSU), International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ), The Maritime Union of India (MUI), National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI) was held on Wednesday, 24th April, 2024 in Tokyo, Japan.

All issues under the purview of IBF JSU/NUSI/MUI-IMMAJ CA pertaining to training and welfare were discussed.

For Seafarers sailing under the above CBA, MUI has proposed to JSU and IMMAJ to provide a maximum of Rs. 10,000/- for Officers and spouse who avail a Health or Accident Insurance Policy (any one). The insurance policy should be issued by a company licensed by The Insurance Regulatory Development Authority of India (IRDAI).

MUI proposed a raise in the reimbursement of professional education fees for girl child of officers from USD 500 to USD 700 (rupee equivalent) and also to enhance the financial assistance amount of Rs 50,000 (appx USD 600) to Rs. 75000 (appx. USD 950) for maternity expenses of women seafarers and spouse of officers.



### **Dr. Capt. Arife Tugasan Isiac Colak visits MUI office**

It was a pleasure having Dr. Capt. Arife Tugasan Isiacik Colak , Captain Superintendent - Head of Maritime Department, at International Oman Maritime College, visit us at MUI office in Mumbai. Issues related to Seafarers, Maritime, Training and the work being done at MUI were discussed.



## **Two countries added to list of Flags of Convenience (FoC) by International Transport Workers' Federation (ITF)**

The International Transport Workers' Federation (ITF) adds two new countries to its longstanding list of Flags of Convenience from 22 May, 2024.

Two ship registries strongly associated with 'dark fleet' transportation – Gabon and Eswatini – are the latest additions to the ITF's Flags of Convenience (FOC) list.

The additions are accompanied by the removal of Tonga from the 76-year-old list, bringing the total number of FOCs to 43.

"It's a toxic industry – registering ships in countries where there is no regulation, no oversight and no accountability. It allows for exploitation and the abandonment of seafarers.

"The aim is to provide a short cut for shipowners to generate money without necessarily complying with best practice risk mitigation and due diligence through regulatory accountability said Paddy Crumlin, President of the ITF.

Companies often register ships in low regulation countries to hide ownership, reduce tax obligations, employ cheap labour or skirt safety standards – with profound implications for seafarers working on those vessels.

Some 50 percent of the world fleet is registered in FOC states. The top three contributors –Panama, Liberia, and the Marshall Islands – alone account for over 40 percent of the international fleet

The ITF defines an FOC vessel as one flying the flag of a country other than its actual ownership. This practice occurs despite international law - the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea – stating that there must be a "genuine link" between the ship and the flag state.

David Heindel, ITF's Seafarers' Section Chair, said: "The whole flags of convenience system is complex on purpose. The reasons for registering ships under flags of convenience is to avoid tax, avoid safety regulations, and circumvent labour standards and human rights.

"A genuine link between the ship and its registry is so important to be able to identify who is the real owner. Flag registers should not be allowed to operate as businesses using lower standards than traditional national registers. Until that's stopped, seafarers' rights will continue to be abused with impunity."

Both Gabon and Eswatini's registries are believed to be involved in the growing, so-called 'shadow' or 'dark fleets' transporting sanctioned oil. Gabon's registry has grown exponentially since international sanctions came into effect following Russia's invasion of Ukraine.

The following 43 countries have been declared FOCs by the ITF's Fair Practices Committee (a joint committee of ITF Seafarers' and Dockers' Unions), which runs the ITF campaign against FOCs:

Antigua and Barbuda

Bahamas

Barbados

Belize

Bermuda

Bolivia

Cameroon

Cayman Islands

Comoros

Cook Islands

Curacao

Cyprus

Equatorial Guinea

Eswatini

Faroe Islands

French International Ship Registry (FIS)

Gabon

German International Ship Registry (GIS)

Georgia

Gibraltar

Honduras

Jamaica

Lebanon

Liberia

Malta

Madeira

Marshall Islands

Mauritius

Moldova

Mongolia

Myanmar

North Korea

Palau

Panama

San Marino

Sao Tome and Principe

Sierra Leone

St. Kitts and Nevis

St. Vincent

Sri Lanka

Tanzania (Zanzibar)

Togo

Vanuatu



## Training Ship Rahaman holds Passing Out Parade and Prize Distribution Ceremony



Sir Mohamed Yusuf Seamen Welfare Foundation's Training Ship Rahaman held a Passing Out Parade and Prize Distribution ceremony of Cadets (Bsc. N.S., IMU DNS), GP Ratings & CCMC, Bsc. MHS, BACA. The occasion was held at their Nhava Campus on 3rd May, 2024.

Shri Shyam Jagannathan - IAS was the Chief Guest. The Chief Guest reviewed the Parade

followed by the March Past, which was an excellent performance with synchronisation, discipline and harmony amongst the Cadets being very evident. This was followed by prize distribution and investiture ceremony. Capt. Tushar Pradhan was privileged to hand over Certificates and Prizes to many of the Cadets.



## International Maritime Health Association (IMHA) roadshow

An inaugural Roadshow by The International Maritime Health Association (IMHA) titled 'Seafarers Health & Safety' was held on March 15, 2024. **Shri Shyam Jagannathan-IAS, Director General of Shipping, was invited as Chief Guest.**

In addition to Shri Shyam Jagannathan, IAS, Director General of Shipping, distinguished international faculty and Board members of IMHA, including Dr. Robert Verbist, President IMHA, from Belgium, Dr. Jorg Abel from Germany, Mr. Nicolas Ioannidis from Greece, Mr. Nigel Griffiths, Chairman of Marine Advisory Medical Services, UK, and Dr. Ilona Denisenko, President of WISTA from Russia, graced the occasion, enriching the discussions with their expertise.

The IMHA India Roadshow's aim to unite maritime healthcare professionals, shipping companies, maritime unions, and regulatory bodies to address critical issues related to seafarers' health and well-being.

This Roadshow played a significant role in:

- 1. Promoting Seafarers' Health:** Contributes to raising awareness about the unique health challenges faced by seafarers and advocating for comprehensive healthcare solutions tailored to their needs.
- 2. Influencing Policy:** To facilitate dialogue and collaboration towards the development of robust medical guidelines and policies that safeguard the health and safety of seafarers worldwide.
- 3. Fostering Knowledge Exchange:** IMHA organizes international symposia featuring eminent speakers from diverse backgrounds in maritime health, providing a platform for knowledge exchange and collaboration among industry stakeholders.

President of IMHA, Dr. Robert Verbist, delivered the main address during the event.

We aim to attract participants from various sectors of the maritime industry, including doctors, manning agents, ship owners' representatives, unions, and regulators. This platform also served to provide valuable networking opportunities and visibility within the industry.



## **Directorate General of Shipping celebrates 14th 'Day of the Seafarer'**

Press information Bureau, Government of India

**Directorate General of Shipping celebrated '14th Day of the Seafarer' on theme 'Navigating The Future: Safety First' 'Safety Tips at Sea' campaign as part of '14th Day of the Seafarer' celebrations.**

National Maritime Day Celebrations (Central) Committee [NMDC], under the aegis of the Directorate General of Shipping, Government of India, celebrated the '14 Day of the Seafarer' on Tuesday, 25th June 2024, at Swatantra Veer Sawarkar Sabhagruha in Mumbai. 'Navigating The Future: Safety First,' was the theme adopted by the International Maritime Organization (IMO) for this year's celebration with 'Safety Tips at Sea' as the campaign hashtag. The Union Cabinet Minister of Ports, Shipping and Waterways Shri Sarbananda Sonowal, in his message, appreciated and recognized the great contributions of Indian seafarers for maintaining supply chain. The Secretary, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Shri T K Ramachandra explained the details of the work done by the Government of India for the benefits of the seafarers and informed the importance of safety and security in the current scenario in his video message. The keynote address was delivered by Shri Shyam Jagannathan, Director General of Shipping and Chairman of NMDC (Central) Committee and while congratulating the seafarers he mentioned that India wants to increase the number of seafarers from 12% to more than 20% of global supply of seafarers. He explained the various new initiatives started like 'Sagar Mey Samman' for bringing the diversity, equality and inclusion for providing the employment to women seafarers both onshore & offshore and 'Sagar Mey Yog' for bringing the sense of mental and physical wellbeing. He stressed upon the 'Suraksha Hamesha-Sarvapratham', development of the state-of-the-art LMS for quality education and maritime training, end to end computerization and digitization of the examination and further vigorously addressing the grievances and crisis management.

Capt. Karen Davis, Managing Director, Oil Companies International Marine Forum (OCIMF), a global association of oil and gas companies that promote safe and environmentally responsible marine operations, was the Chief Guest of Honour for the function. In her address, she congratulated seafarers and all the stakeholders of maritime fraternity and provided safety tips and guidance regarding security related things by referring to her life experiences filled with emotions and humour. She mentioned that a lot of opportunities have emerged for men and women seafarers in the offshore sectors too. She told the seafarers to be brave and learn to speak boldly about any issues that they are facing. She praised the efforts made by the DG Shipping, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Indian Navy and other organisations for maintaining the marine security in recent years.

Mr. Arsenio Dominguez, Secretary-General, International Maritime Organization (IMO) in his message asserted that the Seafarers are performing their job with highest level of safety and mentioned that they are always ready to tackle emergency situations.

A souvenir covering details of the maritime industry was also released during the function to commemorate the 61st year of NMDC. The presentations were given by the officers from DG shipping on various subjects like Ensuring Security for Seafarers, Rights of Seafarers, Safety Connect and Casualty Analysis, and Strategy to increase the percentage of Seafarers from 12% to 20%. While showing their hidden talent, the cadets performed skit plays depicting the importance of safety in shipping. NMDC felicitated around 20 meritorious candidates who have excelled in their academic performance. *Source : DG Shipping*

## Future Skills Maritime (FSM) 2024

The Future Skills Maritime (FSM) an annual event, hosted by The Naval Connection at the picturesque locale of Goa, was held from March 15th to March 16th, 2024, at Bogmollo Beach Resort, Goa. Capt. Tushar Pradhan, General Secretary of The Maritime Union of India, inaugurated the event as one of the guests of honour. He elaborated on work done by MUI in the presence of seafarers and Maritime Professionals.



Later, he participated in an Open House session, taking questions from seafarers on various issues related to the activities of MUI and seafarers wellness. Together with him were representatives from FOSMA and MASSA. Capt. Pradhan addressed numerous questions and concerns from the attendees, contributing to the event's success in fostering communication and collaboration within the maritime community.



## **Seafarers Welfare Fund Society (SWFS) implements two welfare schemes**

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The Committee of Management in its meeting held on 16/01/2024 has approved for implementation of new welfare schemes (a) for spouses of deceased seafarers and (b) super senior Indian seafarers (who are 75 years and above).

In the meeting it was decided that the schemes are to be implemented from 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025 during which the applications will be accepted by the Seafarers' Welfare Fund Society (SWFS).

### **DETAILS OF THE WELFARE SCHEME ON THE OCCASION OF CELEBRATION OF "AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV" FOR PROVIDING ONE TIME FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE SUPER SENIOR INDIAN SEAFARERS WHO ARE 75 YEARS AND ABOVE.**

1. Pursuant to the objects of the Seafarers' Welfare Fund Society (hereinafter referred to as the Society) as defined in Article 3(XV) of the Memorandum of Association of the Society, the Indian seafarer as being eligible in terms of provisions of the rule 3 herein below, may be provided the financial assistance under "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav- one time financial assistance to the Super Senior Seafarer" (Indian seafarer) who completed 75 years and above on or before 26/01/2024 and to the extent detailed herein below.
2. Such financial assistance to the Indian seafarer who are 75 years and above on or before 26/01/2024 (Born on or before 26 January 1949 ) on the occasion of Celebration of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav may be granted at the absolute discretion of the society such financial assistance, may be dispensed with and / or curtailed or enhanced, suspended or completely withdrawn at any time without any prior notice. The availability of such financial assistance under the "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav-Super Senior Seafarer" welfare scheme to the eligible Indian seafarer does not in any manner confer or create any prescriptive right whatsoever and shall not be called in question in any court of law by any seafarer.
3. Eligibility: (a) The scheme is applicable to the seafarers holding Indian CDC and who are 75 years and above on or before 26/01/2024 (b) The seafarer should have sailed for a cumulative period at least of 6 months (through a RPS company or an Indian Shipowner) between the ages of 55 and 60, and the sea service should be entered in his Indian CDC. This scheme will be for the "Amrut Kaal" period i.e. 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025 only, during which the applications will be accepted from the above beneficiaries during the above period only.
4. Quantum: The quantum of financial assistance of ₹.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand only ) under this scheme shall be remitted to the eligible Indian seafarer.
5. To receive the benefit under this scheme only such applications will be entertained which are submitted to the Seafarers' Welfare Fund Society from 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025. Applications received on or after 26/01/2025 will not be accepted for this scheme.

6. Application for financial assistance under this scheme is to be made in the prescribed form along with self-attested xerox copies of CDC book showing seafarer's name, photo and CDC No. and birth date and ID proof i.e. any of this: Adhar Card or Pan Card.
7. Notwithstanding anything contained herein above in all doubtful/disputed and/or exceptional cases, the Committee of Management of the SWFS may examine and decide the cases, on case to case basis and its decision shall be final.

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**DETAILS OF THE WELFARE SCHEME ON THE OCCASION OF CELEBRATION OF  
“AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV” FOR PROVIDING ONE TIME FINANCIAL  
ASSISTANCE TO THE SPOUSES OF DECEASED SEAFARERS.**

1. Pursuant to the objects of the Seafarers' Welfare Fund Society (herein after referred to as the Society) as defined in Article 3(xv) of the Memorandum of Association of the Society, the spouse of the deceased seafarer as being eligible in terms of provisions of Rule 3 herein below, shall be provided the one time financial assistance on the occasion of Celebration of “Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav” and to the extent detailed herein below.
2. Such assistance to spouses of deceased seafarers on the occasion of Celebration of “Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav” shall be granted at the absolute discretion of the Society and the Financial Assistance may be dispensed with and / or curtailed or enhanced, suspended or completely withdrawn at any time without any prior notice or without assigning any reason whatsoever. The availability of such assistance under this welfare scheme shall be granted to the eligible spouse of deceased seamen as per Rule 3 of this Scheme for the 'Amrut Kaal' period i.e. from 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025 and does not in any manner confer or create any prescriptive right whatsoever and shall not be called in question in any court of law by any spouse or beneficiary.
3. Eligibility: This one-time special welfare scheme is only for the spouses of deceased Indian seafarers holding Indian CDC. (children/parents, whether dependent or not are not covered/eligible to apply under this scheme) The applications for this scheme will be accepted from the spouses during the Amrut Kaal period i.e. from 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025 only as per prescribed format. No applications will be accepted or shall be considered which are received on or after 26/01/2025 for this scheme and not as per prescribed format. This benefit is only for the spouses of deceased seafarers who had received the one-time lump-sum financial assistance under (a) the MEMA welfare scheme, (b) the spouse of deceased seafarer who received the one-time lump sum amount for discontinuation of MEMA i.e. after getting the MEMA one-time lump sum benefit, the seafarer expired (c) only spouses who received the Death benefits under Survival Benefit Scheme (d) Ex-gratia Assistance Scheme (e) COVID-19 death Assistance scheme (for death of seafarer due to COVID) from this Society (f) those eligible spouses whose claims were not considered due to delay in submission of applications under Survival Benefit Scheme.
4. Quantum: The quantum of financial assistance under this scheme shall be Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Only) which will be remitted only to the eligible spouse beneficiary. To receive the benefit under this scheme only such applications will be

considered which are submitted to the Seafarers' Welfare Fund Society during 26/01/2024 to 25/01/2025 as per prescribed format.

5. Application for financial assistance under this scheme is to be made in the prescribed form along with self-attested xerox copies of (i) CDC book showing deceased seafarer's name, photo, CDC No. (ii) Death certificate of deceased seafarer, (iii) Applicant's bank pass book indicating name of applicant, Bank's branch name and addresses, Account Number, IFSC code etc., (iv) ID proof of applicant i.e. any of this: Adhar Card or Pan Card, (v) declaration on stamp paper of ₹.100/- declaring that the applicant has not remarried after the death of seafarer till date.
6. Notwithstanding anything contained herein above in all doubtful/disputed and/or exceptional cases, the Committee of Management of the SWFS may examine and decide the cases, on case to case basis and its decision shall be final.



### **CMMI HOLDS TECHNICAL SEMINAR Key Elements of MLC 2006, Latest Amendments and Compliance**

The Company of Master Mariners of India, Navi Mumbai Chapter organized a Technical Seminar on one of the topics of prime importance, namely, latest amendments to Maritime Labour Convention (MLC) 2006.

Eminent personalities from the maritime sector graced the occasion. The Chief Guest was Capt. Binesh Kumar Tyagi, CMD, Shipping Corporation of India, Guests of Honour were Capt. Tushar Pradhan, General Secretary, Maritime Union of India, Capt. Deepak Correa, COO, India Operations- Fleet Management

Welcome Address was given by Capt. Nand Kishor Sah, Chairman, CMMI Navi Mumbai. Opening address was given by Capt B.K. Tyagi, followed by addresses of Capt. Deepak Correa and Capt. Tushar Pradhan

In the first session, Excellent insights in the working and latest amendments were presented by Capt Nitin Mainkar - (Mentor, Massa Maritime Academy), Capt. (Dr.) Daniel Joseph - (Deputy Director General of Shipping), Mr. Sunil Nair - (Assistant General Secretary – National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI), Mr. Vaibhav Navare - (D.G.M, Quality Catering Division - Fleet Management Limited),

In the second session – Panel Discussion and Q & A : Capt. Harish Khatri - (CEO, Board of Examination for Seafarers) Panellists - Capt. Shiv Halbe - (CEO, MASSA), Capt. Philip Matthews - (INSA, Head Seafarers Wage Negotiation Committee), Mr. David Birwadkar - (Head, Great Eastern Institute of Maritime Studies), Mr. Omprakash Goplani – (Sailing Engineer Officer, Transworld Shipping), Mr. Kashi K. Sah - (Sailing Deck Officer, Shell International Shipping), provided interesting aspects of the Convention and responded to queries from the audience. Vote of Thanks was presented by Capt. Nalin Pandey, Deputy Chairman, CMMI, Navi Mumbai.



## **FOR ATTENTION OF MUI MEMBERS AND SEAFARER OFFICERS**

You can tear the MUI Membership form in this issue along the dotted line, fill it up and post it to MUI Mumbai Office alongwith a Demand Draft or Cheque in favour of : The Maritime Union of India to :  
Udyog Bhavan, 4th Floor, 29 Walchand Hirachand Marg  
Ballard Estate, Mumbai 400001.

OR

[Log on to our website : www.maritimeunionofindia.com](http://www.maritimeunionofindia.com)

Enter you Log-in details such as Membership Number and Password provided by MUI)

If you to not have Log-in details, you can click on "Forgot Password". You will then have to provide and submit details such as MUI Membership Number, CDC No., Date of Birth. e-mail id. You will then receive all Log-in details on email, which can be used to proceed with the membership formalities.

Kindly ensure that your Maritime Union of India (MUI) membership is kept validated every year.

This will ensure that you are supported in case of eventualities that may occur during your service on board vessel or after sign-off. In case you need to resolve any matter with your ship owner/Agent, interceding by the MUI can effectively assist you more effectively if you are a fully paid up member Officer of the Union

**MUI REQUESTS ALL OFFICERS TO ENSURE THAT  
SUFFICIENT BALANCE IS PRESENT IN THEIR BANK ACCOUNTS  
WHEN A CHEQUE IS ISSUED BY THEM OR THEIR FAMILY MEMBERS, FOR  
MEMBERSHIP TO THE MARITIME UNION OF INDIA**

This will ensure faster and efficient delivery of  
MUI Membership Card to your residence

When corresponding with MUI offices for your grievances, inquiries or for any other purpose, kindly ensure to mention your :

- 1) CDC Number
- 2) MUI Membership Number
- 3) Rank
- 4) Name of your Company
- 5) Land line, and mobile numbers, email identity

## **YOU SHOULD INSURE YOUR CERTIFICATE**

Because : The Maritime Union of India provides COC protection to you against Competency Certificate affected by any Court of Law and/or Authority.

### **BENEFITS**

1. Suspension of Certificate : A maximum compensation of Rs.3,20,000/- (Rupees Three Lakh Twenty Thousand only) which is spread over 8 months.
2. Cancellation of Certificate : A maximum compensation of Rs.6,00,000/- (Rupees Six Lakh only) over period of 18 months.
3. Certificate replacement : Certificate replaced by the lower certificate upto Rs.22,500/- (Rupees Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred only) per month not exceeding 8 payments as Compensation. Provided that this MUI COC Protection Application is in force on the day of the incident giving rise to an official inquiry into a Shipping Casualty (or was in force at least six months prior to same).
4. Legal Assistance in India : Legal assistance in India before any Court of Inquiry where Competency would be disputed upto a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh only).
5. Legal Assistance outside India : Legal assistance outside India before any Court of Inquiry where Competency would be disputed upto a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh only). MUI COC Protection Application covers Competency Certificates only, but not against cancellation of disciplinary misconduct or legal offences. The Maritime Union of India is not bound to give notice for renewal of premium.

### **REMEMBER :**

1. THE RENEWAL DATE so that you may remit your annual premium at least one month before the due date
2. To keep membership up-to- date. MUI COC Protection Application is extended only to fully paid members of the Union.

**APPLICATION FORM**  
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY (COC) PROTECTION**

**Important : Please ensure that all columns are filled up for acceptance of this application  
by office of The Maritime Union of India**

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MUI Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Valid Upto : \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name in full : \_\_\_\_\_  
(BLOCK LETTERS - *Surname first*)
  2. Date and Place of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Permanent Address for correspondence : \_\_\_\_\_
  4. Grade, Number and Complete : \_\_\_\_\_  
description of certificate : \_\_\_\_\_
  5. Date and Port of Issue : \_\_\_\_\_  
(a) INDOS No. : \_\_\_\_\_
  6. Has your Certificate ever been : \_\_\_\_\_  
(a) Suspended? : \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) Cancelled? : \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) Successfully defended in an : \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) official Enquiry? : \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, please give particulars : \_\_\_\_\_  
: \_\_\_\_\_  
: \_\_\_\_\_
  7. Have you ever been in a ship that has : \_\_\_\_\_  
met with an accident in respect of which : \_\_\_\_\_  
there has been an official enquiry? : \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, please give particulars : \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, please give particulars : \_\_\_\_\_
  8. Name of your present ship : \_\_\_\_\_
  9. In what capacity are you now serving? : \_\_\_\_\_
  10. Name of Owners / Agent : \_\_\_\_\_
  11. How long have you served with them? : \_\_\_\_\_
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**DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that the above details are in every respect true and correct, and that I have not withheld any information calculated to influence the decision in regard to this proposal.

I pay herewith the sum of Rs. 200/- (Rupees Two Hundred only) being the first application cost and agree to renew it every year.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_



**MEMBERSHIP FORM**  
[ TO BE FILLED IN BLOCK LETTERS ]

**THE MARITIME UNION OF INDIA**

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**Membership Fees : Rs. 1800/- per annum**

**Entrance Fees (For first time members - one time payment) : Rs. 500/-**

Please Affix  
your recent  
photograph

Full Name : \_\_\_\_\_  
Surname first \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth and Place : \_\_\_\_\_

INDos No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status :  Married  Unmarried

C.D.C. No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Issue : \_\_\_\_\_ Issued on : \_\_\_\_\_ Expires on : \_\_\_\_\_

Passport No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Issue : \_\_\_\_\_ Issued on : \_\_\_\_\_ Expires on : \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of your present company : \_\_\_\_\_

Present Rank : \_\_\_\_\_ Employment Code No. : \_\_\_\_\_

Particulars of your last company : \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Landline Nos. : \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Nos. : \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse / Next of Kin \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address : \_\_\_\_\_

**Details of Next of Kin declared by you at the time of joining the Company**

Sr. No.	Full Name	Relationship	Mobile & E-mail ID
1			
2			
3			
4			

The details are required to assist you in case of contingency and/or in case of emergency.

I will abide by the rules and regulations of the constitution of the Union. I agree to undertake and confirm that all agreement/s entered and/or executed by MUI towards representation of its members shall be binding and enforceable by/upon me and accordingly, I authorize MUI to directly collect my membership fees through my employer.

I therefore request you to enrol me as the member and/or renew my membership of the The Maritime Union of India.

Date : \_\_\_\_\_ Place : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

COC Protection is extended to fully paid up members only. Certificate protection fees of Rs.200 (Rupees Two Hundred only) per year payable on or before renew date.

**FOR OFFICE USE**

Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Received \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the Authorised Signatory \_\_\_\_\_



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1. Guidance on your employment, advise on medical, legal, income tax and insurance matters.
2. MUI provides certificate of Company (COC) protection support during Marine Court of Inquiry in India and abroad.
3. Free delivery of our quarterly home journal 'The Oceanite'. It contains maritime news, DGS Shipping Notices articles relevant to shipping, and general topics. MUI will consider including your articles if you so desire.
4. Limited financial support to member Officers and their immediate family (wife and 2 children for medical treatment. You and your immediate family (wife and children) can stay at convalescent homes\*. In your absence your wife along with your children can also avail benefit of the homes. For further information, please write to the Trust (MFSWT) or Fund (MNOWF).
5. Member officers are requested in their own interest to take up employment with Companies who have enter into collective bargaining Agreement (CBA) with MUI as MUI Extends assistant to officers sailing with such companies other than these however certain benefits are limited.
6. Officers can avail benefits of various CBA'S to which MUI is a signatory.
7. Prior to joining the ship, please keep photocopy of your appointment letter, Seafarers Employment Agreement (SEA) details at your home email the same to MUI as this can be helpful in case of any unforeseen circumstances.
8. In a difficult situation, MUI will extend assistance in all ports through our affiliates and fraternal unions.
9. MUI can assist you in informing if the company you wish to join is well reputed or fraudulent.
10. MUI Womens Wing take care of issues related to Women seafarers. Additionally the Women wing also keeps in contact with the wives of Seafarers in times of distress.

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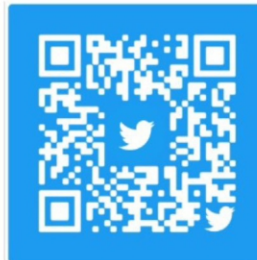
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