

Delegates from European Business & Technology Center visits JNPT, Discusses Mutual Collaborations



Mumbai, 21st February 2020: A delegation from European Business & Technology Center (EBTC) visited Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) to understand the port facilities, rail, infrastructural and technological advancements at the port.

The delegation included Group Chief Operating Officer, Prof. Thomas Schlipkother, Duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG along with Mr. Poul V. Jensen, Managing Director; EBTC and other representatives.

Duisport Hafen AG is the largest inland terminal in the world providing connectivity for supply chains in Europe, Asia and beyond. They been instrumental in establishing stronger connectivity in supply chains between Asia & Europe and are keen on exploring similar opportunities with India.



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Senior officers of JNPT gave a brief presentation on the role of the port in the economic scenario of the country and also its contribution towards the global market. The discussion highlighted growth trajectory of the Port, operational efficiency and various initiatives implemented to promote Ease of Doing Business & adoption of technology to improve the efficiency and quality of business at the Port. The presentation also highlighted the increase in Rail Traffic and the significant decrease in the Dwell time of import containers moved by rail.

Prof. Thomas Schlipkother highlighted business initiatives in European countries, future expectations and how Duisport is helping European businesses grow. The delegation had an interactive session on Bimodal terminal and Trimodal terminals, Optimization of terminal operations & digitization process.

The delegation visited the Port to understand the scale of operations at JNPT. The visit was beneficial in knowledge sharing between the two Ports and the countries.

About JNPT:

The Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) at Navi Mumbai is the biggest container handling Port in India accounting for around 52% of the total containerised cargo volume, across the major ports of India. Commissioned on 26th May 1989, in less than three decades of its operations, JNPT has transformed from a bulk-cargo terminal to become the premier container port in the country. Ranked 28th among the top 100 Container Ports in the world, JNPT is connected to over 200 ports in the world.

Currently JNPT operates five container terminals: the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Container Terminal (JNPCT), the Nhava Sheva International Container Terminal (NSICT), the Gateway Terminals India Pvt. Ltd. (GTIPL), Nhava Sheva International Gateway Terminal (NSIGT) and the newly commissioned Bharat Mumbai Container Terminals Private Limited (BMCTPL). The Port also has a Shallow Water Berth for general cargo and another Liquid Cargo Terminal which is managed by BPCL-IOCL consortium.

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