

JNPT Celebrates 71st Republic Day with Great Gusto and Fervor



(Photo caption): Shri Sanjay Sethi, IAS, Chairman, JNPT along with CISF Commandant inspected the parade on the Republic Day celebration.

Mumbai, January 26, 2020: Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT), India's premier container port celebrated India's 71st Republic Day with great enthusiasm & participation of all the officials and staff of JNPT. The day began with the flag hoisting ceremony by the Chief Guest **Shri Sanjay Sethi, Chairman, JNPT** and singing of the National Anthem followed by the inspection of the parade by the Chief Guest.

Speaking at the Republic Day ceremony, **Shri Sanjay Sethi, IAS, Chairman, JNPT** said, "Today we celebrate the spirit of freedom and democracy of India. We salute everyone who have contributed to build a solid, vibrant India, and are proud to be part of JNPT, which is a significant contributor in the maritime growth of the Nation."



January 26 is celebrated as the country's Republic Day every year to value and preserve the rich heritage and the composite culture of India. On this day in 1950, the Constitution of India came into effect, replacing the Government of India Act (1935) as the governing document of India. The constitution declares India a sovereign, socialist, secular, democratic republic, assuring its citizens justice, equality and liberty, and endeavors to promote fraternity.

Students from the JNPT School presented dance performances and other cultural activities and JNPT CISF Unit conducted a dog show. The day ended with Shri Sanjay Sethi extending warm Republic Day greetings to all the employees and stakeholders of JNPT.

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 containerized 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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