



# THE BENGAL CHAMBER

## SEMINAR ON

# “Coastal Shipping – The Road Ahead”

Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2014 at 10.00 a.m. at Williamson Magor Hall  
The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BCC&I)  
(6, Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata – 700001)

## Programme Structure

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<b>9.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.</b>	<b>Registration</b>	
<b>10.00 a.m. – 11.50 a.m.</b>	<b>Inaugural Session</b>	
<b>10.00 a.m. – 10.10 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome Address</b>	<b>Dr. Alok Roy</b> Sr Vice President The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BCC&I)
<b>10.10 a.m. – 10.40 a.m.</b>	<b>Inaugural Address by Chief Guest on "The Road Ahead for Coastal Shipping"</b>	<b>Dr Vishwapati Trivedi, IAS</b> Secretary Ministry of Shipping Government of India
<b>10.40 a.m. – 11.10 a.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Address by Guest of Honour</b>	<b>Mr Gautam Chatterjee, I.A.S</b> Director General of Shipping Directorate General of Shipping Ministry of Shipping Government of India
<b>11.10 a.m. - 11.25 a.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Address by Guest of Honour on "Benefits of Coastal Shipping for Bengal &amp; North East Region"</b>	<b>Shri Alapan Bandyopadhyay, I.A.S.</b> Principal Secretary Transport Department Government of West Bengal
<b>11.25 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.</b>	<b>Address by Keynote Speaker on "Potentials of Kolkata Port as a major player in Coastal Shipping"</b>	<b>Mr. R.P.S.Kahlon, I.A.S.</b> Chairman Kolkata Port Trust (KoPT)
<b>11.45 a.m. – 11.50 a.m.</b>	<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	<b>Mr S B Mazumder</b> Chairperson Shipping Committee The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and industry (BCC&I)
<b>11.50 a.m. – 12.05 p.m.</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	
<b>12.05 p.m. – 1.35 p.m.</b>	<b>Technical Session I:</b>	
	<b>Panel Discussion on "Economics of Coastal Shipping vis-à-vis cargo"</b>	
<b>Moderator</b>	<b>Mr Sabyasachi Hazara</b> , Ex Chairman and Managing Director, Shipping Corporation of India (SCI)	
	<b><u>Panelists:</u></b>	
	<b>Mr. V.K.Singh</b> , Chief Executive Officer, Shreyas Shipping Pvt Ltd	

**Mr Ashok K Shrivastava**, Chief Executive Officer– Shipping Services, All Cargo Shipping Co Pvt Ltd

**Mr Philip Mathews**, LOTS Shipping Ltd., Kochi

**Mr Dibyendu Bose**, Group Director (Investments and New Ventures), Tata Steel Limited

**1.35 p.m. – 1.45 p.m.**

**Q & A**

**1.45 p.m. – 2.45 p.m.**

**LUNCH**

**2.45 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.**

**Technical Session: II**

**Chairperson**

**Mr S B Mazumder**, Chairperson, Shipping Committee, The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and industry (BCC&I)

**2.45 p.m. – 3.05 p.m.**

**Presentation on “The Maersk Group in India – Coastal Shipping and other Challenges”**

**Mr Julian Michael Bevis**

Senior Director  
Group Relations  
The Maersk Group

**3.05 p.m. – 3.45 p.m.**

**Presentation on “Sagar Port Project Report”**

**Dr K G S Sarma**

Head - Ports and Water Resources  
Ports & Harbour Division  
RITES Ltd

**3.45 p.m. – 4.15 p.m.**

**Presentation on “Coastal Shipping - User Perspective”**

**Mr Ashish Gupta**

Chief - Customer Services Division  
Tata Steel Ltd

**4.15 p.m. – 4.45 p.m.**

**Presentation on “Financing Shipowners & Entrepreneurs to enter Coastal Shipping”**

**Mr. Saibal De**

Director and CEO  
IL&FS Maritime Infrastructure Company Ltd

**4.45 p.m. – 5.15 p.m.**

**Presentation on “Point of View on Coastal Shipping in India”**

**Mr Prahlad Tanwar**

Director - Transport & Logistics  
M/s KPMG

**5.15 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.**

**Q & A**

**5.30 p.m. – 5.45 p.m.**

**Feedback & Summing up**

**Mr Tamal Roy**

Member  
Shipping Committee  
BCC&I

**5.45 p.m.**

**Tea/Coffee & Networking**

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