



TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

No.TD/TM/IMP-471/ 505

Dated, the 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2026

TRADE CIRCULAR

**Sub:** Advisory for handling Ammonium Nitrate at Major Ports – Reg.

Vide Trade Circular No.TD/TM/IMP-47/2663 of Paradip Port Authority (PPA) dated 16.09.2025, the ships laden with Ammonium Nitrate are not permitted to stay overnight at Jetty with more than 5000 MT and the Ammonium Nitrate laden ships are moved away from Port area to mid-sea anchorage after the day's operation and to resume discharge operations next day again.

It is to inform that PPA has withdrawn the above Trade Circular dated 16.09.2025 as per the revised advisory of the MoPSW dated 17.03.2026.

This trade circular will come into force with immediate effect and is issued for information and guidance of all concerned.

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17.03.26  
Traffic Manager  
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- (ii) DC/HM, PPA for kind information and necessary action.
- (iii) All Officers of Traffic Department for information and necessary action.
- (iv) All sections of Traffic Department for information and necessary action.
- (v) Sr. Deputy Director, EDP Cell for information with a request to upload the same in PPA website.