## PD-24015/12/2021-PD-IV Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (PD-IV Section)

Transport Bhawan 1, Parliament Street New Delhi the 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2021

To,

The Chairman/Chairperson, All Major Ports.

## Subject: Request for Berthing Priority for Export of Sugar - regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to state that during the current sugar season Govt. has fixed the target of exporting 60 LMT of sugar so that liquidity position of the sugar mills can be maintained and cane arrears of farmers may not get accumulated.

2. In the virtual Meeting co-Chaired by JS (Sugar), Department of Food & Public Distribution & JS (ESCAP), M/o Commerce & Industry, a request has been made to this Ministry for advising the Major Ports to accord berthing priority to vessels for export of sugar with productivity norms between 2750 MT to 3500 MT per day so that the overall export target can be met.

3. You are, therefore, requested to kindly instruct the concerned HoD(s) in your port to take note of the above advisory for strict compliance.

4. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully.

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