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**CIRCULAR**

**Sub: Strict Compliance for Regulation 73 (Personal Protective Equipments) of Dock Workers (Safety, Health and Welfare) Regulation 1990-Reg.**

PPEs (Personal Protective Equipments) are regarded as the last line of defense in case of accidents and it is extremely important for workplaces to have it readily available since safety and health of Dock Workers cannot be compromised.

It has been noticed that Dock Workers are not provided PPEs (Safety Helmets, Shoes, Reflective jackets etc) by their employer inside port premises and mostly in areas where bag cargo is handled, no dock workers are following the use of PPEs.

It is the prime responsibility of the employer and principal employer that dock workers should be provided necessary personal protective equipments to protect them from any unsafe act and unsafe condition as per **Regulation 73 and to comply with Regulation 7(4.b) of Dock Workers(Safety, Health and Welfare) Regulation,1990**. Further it must be ensured that dock workers should not be allowed to work inside the port premises without use of PPES. Therefore, necessary instructions may be issued to the supervisors/foreman/managers by their respective employer.

Life, safety and health of dock workers cannot be ignored and all efforts must be taken to protect the dock workers from injury or any kind of accidents.

Apropos, it is hereby directed that every employer must comply with use of PPEs (Personal Protective Equipment) failing which the respective areas where the dock work is being undertaken by their respective employer would be prohibited from dock work.

The contents of this circular may please be communicated to all concerned persons/department.

  
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