## TRADE NOTICE NO: 7/2018 DATED: 16.07.2018

## DECLARATION OF COAL BERTH NO. 4 FOR HANDLING AUTOMOBILES / CLEAN CARGOES AT KAMARAJAR PORT

KPL is pleased to inform to the Trade that, the construction of Coal Berth No. 4 for the Captive User TANGEDCO with the berth dimensions of 340.52 m x 35.5 m with a permissible draft of 18.5m below Chart Datum has been completed and the berth is ready in all the aspects for the commercial operations. However, the unloading equipments and conveyor systems for handling coal at the berth are yet to be fixed by TANGEDCO. Hence, the berth is not being operationalized by the captive user as on date.

It is informed that, KPL is on the receipt of enquiries for handling clean cargoes at General Cargo Berth. Due to month end congestion occurs in the existing General Cargo Berth, non-availability of space in the car parking yard and the continuous line up of vessels scheduled for GCB, it has been proposed to utilize the Coal Berth 4 for handling Automobiles and Clean cargoes as an alternative measures until the construction of General Cargo Berth 2 and the erection of Coal unloading equipments by TANGEDCO at Coal Berth 4.

The Trade is hereby requested to utilize Coal Berth 4 to handle automobiles and clean cargoes at KPL. The Chief Manger (Traffic) shall be contacted in this regard.

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