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मेसर्स वेवक्रेस्ट मरीन सर्विसेज प्राइवेट लिमिटेड,

कार्यालय संख्या टी-24बी, तीसरी मंजिल, हवारे सेंचुरियन कॉम्प्लेक्स,

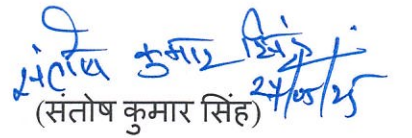
प्लॉट संख्या 88-91, सेक्टर 19ए, नेरुल ईस्ट, नवी मुंबई, 400706

महोदय,

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No. 32809-MMDMUM-14011(12)/4/2025-SEO /291/2025

Date:23.05.2025

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WITHDRAWAL ORDER

Whereas, M/s. Wavecrest Marine Services Private Limited [Hereinafter to be referred as 'RPS agency'] was issued with Recruitment & Placement Service License bearing No. RPSL-MUM-162299 valid from 30.12.2024 to 30.12.2029 by the Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Mumbai under Merchant Shipping (Recruitment and Placement of Seafarers) Rules, 2016.

2. And whereas, various violations were observed / grievances received in respect of RPS agency by Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Mumbai, details thereof as appended below:-

2.1 Whereas, it is reported by Police Authorities through their letter received vide e-mail dated 19.03.2025 that following agents, namely, Mr. Abhijeet Mandal Dululu and Mr. Kaushik Chandan Biswas sent following seafarers, namely, Mr. Jagdish Biswas, Mr. Ajibur Rehman, Mr. Sunil Chauhan and Mr. Gullu Chauhan to Dubai to join vessel through the RPS agency after obtaining service charge of INR 7,50,000/- from each seafarer. However, the seafarers came back to India without joining onboard any vessel at Dubai.

2.2 Whereas, subsequent to the afore-stated complaint from Police Authorities, an Inspection of RPS agency was scheduled on Thursday, 20th March, 2025 by this office via a Team constituted for said purpose vis-a-vis virtual inspection of online RPS profile / records was conducted, wherein following further violations were observed on the part of RPS provider:

a) And whereas, it is observed by the designated Inspecting team who went to conduct Special / Surprise Inspection of RPS agency at 1015 hours on 20.03.2025, that the office of the RPS agency was not found at the registered address provided by RPS agency at: Office No. T- 24B, 3rd Floor, Haware Centurion Complex, Plot No.88- 91, Sector 19A, Nerul East, Navi Mumbai, 400706. Instead, board of some, M/s Blue Waves Marine Services was on display at registered office of RPS agency which was closed / locked

b) Whereas, it is observed from scrutiny of DGS Online Form – I record that RPS agency has recruited 386 Nos of seafarers as of date within a span of 02 months. Most of these seafarers are observed to be trainees and records thereof have been updated in clusters for the same vessel. And hence, it is evident that RPS agency has misused the Government online system to e-migrate the seafarers.

3. With regard to violation stated above, the Office of Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Mumbai vide Ref. No. MMDMUM-14011(12)/4/2025-SEO dated 20.03.2025 issued a Show Cause Notice under Rule 12(1) of M.S. (R&PS) Rules, 2016, for the violations observed under Rule 5 of Merchant Shipping (Recruitment and Placement of Seafarers) Rules, 2016. No response was received for the Show Cause Notice within stipulated time period.

4. And whereas, in view of non-response from RPS agency this office vide Notice dated 08.05.2025 scheduled a personal hearing on 15.05.2025 under Rule 12(2) of M.S. (R&PS) Rules, 2016, however neither the Director(s) of RPS agency or its authorized signatories attended the personal hearing nor responded to the hearing notice.

5. Further, the letters issued by this office by post to the registered address of the RPS agency as mentioned in their DGS profile has been returned back to this office with reason "NO SUCH PERSON IN THE ADDRESS".

6. Therefore, it is concluded herein that RPS agency has no valid explanation to tender and it is evident from all the above that said RPS agency is guilty of conducting its affairs in violations of applicable provisions / rules under Merchant Shipping (Recruitment & Placement of Seafarer) Rules, 2016 promulgated vide Gazette Notification GSR No. 169 (E) dated 15.02.2016 and Merchant Shipping (Maritime Labour) Rules, 2016.

7. Based upon detailed proceedings conducted in the matter and in view of all the above, the Director Seamen's employment Office exercising the power vested upon them in accordance with Rule 12 of Merchant Shipping (Recruitment and Placement of Seafarers) Rules, 2016 orders following:

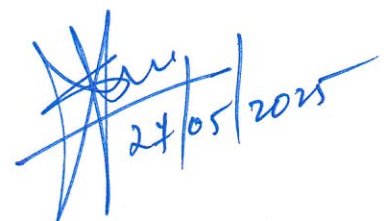
7.1 Recruitment and Placement Service License bearing No. RPSL-MUM-162192 valid from 10.11.2023 to 10.11.2028 in respect of M/s. Wavecrest Marine Services Pvt. Ltd. is hereby withdrawn by the Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Mumbai under Rule 12 of Merchant Shipping (Recruitment & Placement Service) Rules, 2016 with immediate effect.

7.2 M/s. Wavecrest Marine Services Pvt. Ltd. and its associated Directors continue to remain liable for the seafarers who have already been recruited by them and those who are presently serving onboard.

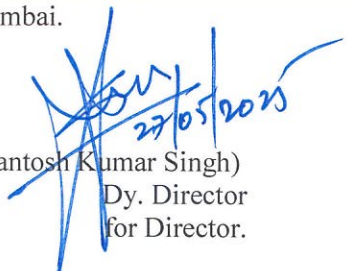
7.3 The concern Directors of RPS agency, M/s Wavecrest Marine Services Pvt. Ltd, namely, Shri Mohammed Anas Aijaz Ahmed Mansuri, DIN No. 10298552 and Shri Omkar Anil Chipkar, DIN No. 10298553 are hereby debarred from carrying out any maritime related activities associated with The Directorate General of Shipping for a period of five (05) years and further recommendation shall be forwarded to Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) for blacklisting of DIN numbers of RPS agency Directors to restrain them to carry out any business activities in India for a period of five (05) years in terms of Merchant Shipping Notice No. 11 of 2024 dated 03.06.2024.

7.4 The submitted Bank Guarantee amounting to INR 20 Lakhs of RPS agency, M/s Wavecrest Marine Services Pvt. Ltd. is withheld under custody of this office for any contingent issue due to default / violation of extant M.S.(RPS) Rules, 2016 and Merchant Shipping Notice No. 11 of 2024 dated 03.06.2024.

8. If, M/s Wavecrest Marine Services Private Limited is aggrieved by the order passed, may within a period of thirty days (30 days) of receipt of this order, appeal to the Principal Officer, Mercantile Marine Department, Mumbai being First Appellate Authority in accordance with Rules 19(1) of Merchant Shipping (Recruitment and Placement of Seafarers) Rules, 2016. [It may be noted that Rule 18 mentioned under Rules 19(1) of Merchant Shipping (Recruitment and Placement of Seafarers) Rules, 2016 is to be read as Rule 12 view typographical error in Gazette Notification No. G.S.R. 169 (E) dated 15.02.2016].


24/05/2025

9. This issues with the approval of Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Mumbai.


(Santosh Kumar Singh)
Dy. Director
for Director.

To,
M/s. Wavecrest Marine Services Private Limited
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Email : wavecrest53@gmail.com

Copy to:

1. The Principal Officer, Mercantile Marine Department, Mumbai, for kind information.
2. The Directorate General of shipping, Mumbai {Kind Attn. DDG(Crew)}, for information
3. The Directorate General of Shipping, Mumbai (Kind Attn. DDG, E-Governance with request said withdrawn order, for necessary updation of the said RPS License on DGS Website.
4. The Director, Seamen's Employment Office, Kolkata/Chennai
5. The Shipping Master, Mumbai/Kolkata/Chennai.
6. Guard File