



# NATIONAL MARITIME DAY CELEBRATIONS (CENTRAL) COMMITTEE

Registered Society & Charitable Trust  
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**No. 56th NMDC/Awards/2019**

**Dated: 25.01.2019**

30 JAN 2019

To,

1. The Company of Master Maritime of India (CMMI),  
K. Raheja Prime, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Sag Baug Road,  
Marol Industrial Estate,  
Off Andheri Kurla Road,  
Marol, Andheri(E),  
Mumbai-400059
2. The Institute of Marine Engineers of India (IMEI),  
IMEI House, Sector-19,  
Plot No. 94, Nerul,  
Navi Mumbai - 400 706.
3. ICC Shipping Association,  
(Former Indian Coastal Conference)  
204, Wellington Business Park-1,  
Near Marol Naka Metro Station,  
Andheri-Kurla Road, Andheri (East),  
Mumbai-400059.

**Sub: Nomination for NMDC - 2019 awards -reg.**

Dear Sir,

As you are aware that the National Maritime Day is celebrated every year on 5<sup>th</sup> April in commemoration of the maiden voyage of the first Indian Vessel "S.S. LOYLTY" owned by M/s. Scindia Steam Navigation Company from Mumbai to London on 5<sup>th</sup> April, 1919. The National Maritime Day recognizes the services of seafarers and services of persons and organizations connected with promotion and development of national maritime industry by giving them awards, scholarship and facilitations.

2. The 'National Maritime Day' (NMD) synonymous with the 'Merchant Navy Week' is proposed to be observed from the 29<sup>th</sup> of the March, 2019 to the 5<sup>th</sup> of April, 2019. On this occasion, following Shipping awards will be given:

(1) **"Varuna Award"** to recognize and honour persons for their sustained and outstanding contribution to the Indian Maritime Sector. The award would consist of a statue of Lord Varuna, Certificate and a Citation.

(2) **"NMD Award of Excellence"** to recognize and honour persons for their lifetime exceptional and distinguished achievements or performance at the senior functional level in Indian Maritime Sector. The award would consist of a Memento, Certificate and a Citation.

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