

**MINUTES OF 11TH MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
CRANE OWNERS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA
HELD ON
21.04.2014 (3.00 PM TO 6.30 PM)
AT
MALHOTRA CHAMBERS, 7th FLOOR, CHEMBUR, MUMBAI**

Present:

Ashwin Gandhi	President
Navin Dedhia	Secretary

Members:

C P Sanghvi	Sanghvi Movers
Umesh Shetty	All Cargo Logistics Ltd
Sunil Makad	Steel Carriers
Mitesh Shethia	Shethia Erectors & Material Handlers Ltd
Bajrang Agarwal	Kandla Cargo Handlers
Premal Thaker	Oasis Infrastructure Pvt Ltd
Amar Bedi	Barkat Hiring Company
Avinash Virkar	Apollo Enterprises
Manoj Chaudhari	Sarens Heavy Lift India Pvt Ltd

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Karim Jaria due to his inability to attend the meeting due to urgent business commitments.

Mr. Ashwin Gandhi, President of the Association thanked all the members and especially thanked Mr. Chandrakant Sanghvi & Mr. Manoj Chaudhari for attending the meeting. Following agenda was taken up for discussion in the meeting:

1. Minutes of the 10th E.C meeting held on 18.02.2014 at Mumbai were read out and approved in the meeting.
2. It was decided by the Executive committee that before writing letter to any defaulter company, approval from the Executive committee members is mandatory.
3. List of outstanding payments mailed by the members of association were also presented among the Executive Committee and it was decided that association should write strongly to those defaulter companies stating the name of the members whose payment is due.
4. Mr. Umesh Shetty informed that the outstanding payment cheques were not released by Lanco Infra though the same was supposed to be received in the month of July 2014.

5. President circulated the reply received from Wind world regarding outstanding payments which were to be made through L/C to few members.
6. Regarding the VAT issue in Maharashtra State, Mr. Navin Dedhia showed VAT assessment order copies received by Sanghvi Movers in which they were only charged VAT on the crane renting services provided in Maharashtra and not in any other states in India. Mr. Umesh Shetty was given the responsibility to find out a Solicitor available for handling the VAT issues and also to confirm whether COAOI can file petition in the court on behalf of its members on the VAT Issue.
7. On Transfer Pricing Issue, Mr. C.P. Sanghvi and Mr. Manoj Chaudhari were called for a meeting. They both discussed the transfer pricing issues/problems and they have sorted out the issue among themselves for which COAOI is thankful to them, because unity is always important for the strength of association. The Crane Industry and we always believe in our Association's Moto that "United We Survive, Divided We Fall".
8. President also read out the recent circular by the Gujarat RTO on refund of RTO tax paid on Crawler Cranes and briefed the members about the procedure on how to get the refund of RTO tax paid on crawler cranes in Gujarat State and also circulated the format of letter, DT form, etc. which are required to be filled to get the Refund of RTO Tax. Mr. Umesh Shetty thanked the President for his determination, efforts and hard work for getting the refund issue resolved for the benefit of all the crane owners, including esteemed members of the COAOI.
9. President informed the members that a strong representation is very much required to be made by COAOI to the Central Government on the service tax issue.
10. It was decided to write a suitable letter from COAOI to BHEL regarding its payment terms stipulated in its tenders for hiring of cranes.
11. President suggested that all members of COAOI should report to COAOI first before supplying any crane(s) to any of the defaulting companies in the interest of all its members & crane hiring companies.
12. It was decided to call the next meeting of the Executive Committee of COAOI to be held by end of May 2014 at Mumbai.

The Meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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