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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Inauguration of Skill Development Centre at NOTI

National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI) has many initiatives for the benefit of not just the seafarers but also their family members. One of the key areas NUSI is focusing on is skill enhancement of seafarers. Recently, based on the feedback from the industry, two courses were introduced at the Skill Development Centre at NUSI Offshore Training Institute (NOTI) to improve the employability of trainee ratings and also Framo pump training for officers.

The Skill Development Centre at NOTI, Panvel was inaugurated on Wednesday, 24th October, 2018 by Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS, Director General of Shipping and Secretary to the Government of India. Additionally, Deepwell Pumps Installation (FRAMO) unit was also inaugurated by Shri. Amar Singh Thakur, General Secretary, Maritime Union of India (MUI). Delegates from the shipping fraternity were also present at the inauguration function.

Chief Guest Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS Director General of Shipping described the training initiative as a positive step towards enhancement of skill sets of seafarers for gainful employment.

Hundreds of seafarers and shipping companies are taking benefit of the training modules currently being conducted at the NOTI facility.

Yours faithfully,

Abdulgani Y. Serang.

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Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS, Director General of Shipping and Secretary to the Government of India inaugurating the Skill Development Centre at NOTI



Shri Abdulgani Y. Serang, General Secretary-cum-Treasurer, NUSI speaking relating training initiatives at NOTI.



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Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS, Director General of Shipping and Secretary to the Government of India addressing the gathering.



Shipping fraternity at the NOTI Centre.



Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS, Director General of Shipping and Secretary to the Government of India making a point



Dr. Malini Shankar, IAS, Director General of Shipping and Secretary to the Government of India and members of the Shipping fraternity addressing the cadets