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Dear Brothers and Sisters.

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### Sub: English Language Course for Seafarers and their families

The NMB Rehabilitation & Welfare Trust for Seamen, formed under the aegis of the National Maritime Board (India), has been providing welfare and training facilities for seafarers and their family members.

The Trust has initiated various welfare schemes like education and scholarship grant for children of seafarers, rehabilitation of seafarers and training courses for seafarers like fitter, welder and cook courses at highly subsidized course fees for the benefit of seafarers and their families.

We are pleased to inform you that one more training initiative has been started by the NMB Rehabilitation & Welfare Trust for Seamen towards enhancing the spoken English proficiency of the seafarers and their families.

A course of 45 hours for a period of two weeks for the seafarers and a course of 30 hours for a period of 10 days for the families of the seafarers will be conducted by professionals. This course have been started at Chennai, Diu and Valsad. Informatively, spoken English training for seafarers was one of the suggestions of the Task Force towards increasing the job potential of the seafarers.

Shri Amitabh Kumar, Additional Directorate General of Shipping inaugurated English Language Course for seafarers and their families on 19th July, 2017 at the office of the NMB Rehabilitation & Welfare Trust for Seamen, Mumbai.

The English Language Course for Seafarers will go a long way in increasing the employment potential of the Indian seafarers.





Shri Amitabh Kumar, Additional Director General of Shipping inaugurating English Language Course for Seafarers and their families along with delegates from the shipping fraternity

Yours sincerely,

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# The English Language Course for Seafarers and their Families



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