



Chairman and Managing Director

Dt. 31st Dec. 2011

Dear Customer,

My Greetings and best wishes to you for the New Year

At the outset, I express our sincere thanks for your kind patronage for the growth of Dredging Corporation of India Ltd. As you all know, DCI is the premier organization and the only PSU that caters to the dredging needs for not only major ports but also non-major ports, and other organizations which require dredging for depth creation or land creation by way of reclamation. With a fleet of ten Trailer Suction Hopper Dredgers and three Cutter Suction Dredgers, one backhoe and associated crafts, we are duly equipped to provide a complete dredging solution to your organization. Three most modern and sophisticated trailer suction hopper dredgers with state of art technology and having hopper capacity of 5500 cu.m. each will be joining our fleet very soon. The first dredger is scheduled to be delivered by the renowned builder IHC Holland during Nov. 2012. This will strengthen and further enhance our dredging capability. As such we are gearing up to meet the enormous dredging needs of the country as projected in the Maritime Agenda 2020 of Ministry of Shipping.

The Year 2011 was not particularly encouraging for us with half of our fleet having to undergo drydocking and repairs and two dredgers laid up for considerable period of time. In spite of this, we have been carrying out the maintenance dredging works at Kolkata, Kochi, and Marmugao Ports and working for Karwar port and Indian Navy at Kochi. The capital dredging works at Ennore Port in regard to deepening the approach channel to -20 mtr and creating of required depth at turning circle and other navigational areas are in progress.

At DCI, we always strive for excellence and continual improvement. While a good word from you gives us immense satisfaction, your valued suggestions/ comments to improve our systems will always count. To meet your requirements and provide better services to your satisfaction, it would be my pleasure to have your feed back. You may feel free to contact me at your convenience and discuss the matters of mutual interest.

We look forward to your constant support and attention for the growth of DCI.

(Capt. D.K.Mohanty)