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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Sub: **“NUSI STRI SHAKTI SUPPORT” inaugurated by
All Japan Seamen’s Union (JSU) and
International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ) in Mumbai**

On 8th February, 2023 National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI) led by NUSI General Secretary-cum-Treasurer, Shri Milind Kandalgaonkar and Maritime Union of India (MUI) led by Capt. Tushar Pradhan had a constructive meeting with delegates of All Japan Seamen’s Union (JSU) and International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ) in Mumbai. The meeting jointly deliberated about futuristic training and welfare initiatives for the betterment of seafarers and their families.

You are aware that NUSI through its **“Naari Shakti”** initiative has been at the forefront in empowering women, particularly from the families of seafarers. Taking advantage of the visit of JSU / IMMAJ and the upcoming International Women's Day on 8th March, NUSI launched **“NUSI STRI SHAKTI SUPPORT”** - Financial Support to Women Ratings.



**“NUSI STRI SHAKTI SUPPORT” was inaugurated at the hands of
Mr. Mitsuharu Matsuura San, President, All Japan Seamen’s Union (JSU) and
Mr. Toshihito Inoue Chairman, International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ)**



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The NUSI initiative was inaugurated by Mr. Mitsuura Matsuura San, President, All Japan Seamen's Union (JSU) and Mr. Toshihito Inoue San, Chairman, International Mariners Management Association of Japan (IMMAJ). The **"NUSI STRI SHAKTI SUPPORT"** is a financial support initiative that will be awarded to women who have successfully completed their pre-sea training course from a Dg-approved maritime institute. The initiative is available on a first-come, first-served basis, as per guidelines. We are confident that the **"NUSI STRI SHAKTI SUPPORT"** initiative will further encourage women to join and pursue a career in the Merchant Navy.

NUSI advise more and more seafarers and their families to take benefit of the various NUSI welfare and training initiatives.

Long Live NUSI,

Long Live Seafarers Unity

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Milind Kandalgaonkar)
General Secretary -cum-Treasurer

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