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The award was received by Capt A. K. Bhattacharjee, Vice President Operations, on behalf of Shri Gopinath Pillai, Chairman Gateway Distriparks Ltd. from Shri A.P.V.N. Sarma, the Hon'ble Secretary, Department of Shipping, Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport & Highways, Government of India on

September 18, 2008 at Hotel Intercontinental The Grand, Mumbai.

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Gateway Distriparks Ltd. has been receiving awards annually from Jawaharlal Nehru port, Nhava Sheva customs and other prominent organizations on account of the number of volumes it handles efficiently. Incorporated in 1994, it is now a pan-India container logistics company, transporting containers by Road/Rail, from/to the major Gateway ports of India.