

Nantong report

The 5th batch of national specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises published

64 Nantong enterprises shortlisted

By Liu Lu

On 14 July, Industry and Information Technology Department of Jiangsu published *Announcement on the list of the 5th batch of Jiangsu specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises and the list of the 2nd batch of specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises which have passed review and been approved.* In total 795 new enterprises of Jiangsu were shortlisted. 64 Nantong enterprises were shortlisted in the 5th

batch of national specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises list, which exceeded the total sum of the previous four batches of national specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises (61 enterprises). Up to now, Nantong has won in total 27 single champion enterprises (products) in manufacturing industry, 61 national specialized, refined, innovative and new ‘little giant’ enterprises, 461 provincial specialized, refined, innovative and new small and medium enterprises.

APEC business travel card new application system will be started

By He Jiayu

According to unified deployment of the Department of Consular Affairs of Ministry of Foreign Affairs, a new declaration system will be applied in APEC business travel card application. To help application enterprises get familiar with new application method as soon as possible, a few days ago, Nantong Foreign Affairs Office held a theme training, to train more than 80 Nantong enterprises who would apply for APEC business travel cards.

After the new system is started, qualified enterprises can submit APEC business travel card online directly, to know the progress of card at real time, do various types of APEC operations, which will realize ‘one card general work’ and ‘approval without meeting’ of APEC card truly. It provides more efficient, convenient and transparent internet administrative service experience for enterprises, and truly realize clean and transparent approval.

Cooling areas set up in line No.1 of underground railway

By Jiang Jiaojiao

Cooling areas were set up in 28 stations of line No.1 of the underground railway, which provide places to cool and rest for outdoor workers including sanitation workers, urban management officers, couriers, and delivery workers, citizens and passengers. The reporter saw on site that in cooling areas in the subway station,

seats, kettles, disposable paper cups and heatstroke prevention and cooling supplies were put, which made it convenient for citizens to cool and rest, and did not affect passenger’s daily transport. Citizens who come to cool, are mainly outdoor workers and citizens who live nearby. ‘I work in nearby area, after I finish my work, I can come here and rest for some time, and there is free water to drink.’ Zhang Fang, a sanitation worker said.

Parking lots in 27 places for going to toilet set up in Nantong

By Zhang Liang

Recently, 27 places of 54 limited time parking lots were set up near public toilets by the road in urban area by Traffic Police Detachment of the Municipal Public Security Bureau. The reporter learnt that up to now, the 54 parking lots have been in operation already, the time of parking

is limited to 15 minutes. Up to now, line painting and sign board installation of parking lots for going to toilet in 27 places have been completed and put into operation. Drivers who go to toilet can park on the parking lots for free. The reporter noticed that on the sign board next to the parking lot, apart from obvious parking sign, there was reminder of limit on parking time.

Cleaning bullet trains



On the evening of 16 July, workers were examining, repairing and cleaning bullet trains at Nantong EMU depot. In the evening, Nantong EMU depot examined and repaired 16 sets of bullet trains. The number of bullet trains of different types which stayed overnight was increased to more than 50. Photo by Xu Congjun



12 entire sets of wind power equipment delivered from Nantong to Chile

By Yan Chunhua and Huang Hai

On 14 July, ship ‘Pacific Prospect’ loaded with 12 sets of wind power equipment left Lvsì ‘2+2’ general wharf slowly for Chile. It was the first time entire sets of wind turbine blades were transported out since the opening and start

of operation of Lvsì port operation area. ‘There were 12 sets of wind power generation equipment plus other supporting parts, in total 499 pieces. The weight reached more than 8340 tons. The volume was about 89 thousand cubic meters. The maximum weight of single item was 140 tons.’ person in charge of Tong-

yang port said. The ship used this time was the largest multi-function heavy lifting ship in the world up to now ‘Pacific Prospect’, to ensure the cargo’s safety. Nantong Port Lvsì operation area is a new gate of opening up to build ‘the Belt and the Road’, a new hub of river and sea joint transport of the Yangtze River economic

belt, a major landmark of new model of high quality development of the Yangtze River delta. As large international route ships including ‘Pacific Prospect’ entered and berthed successfully, and various new types of cargo were transported, the large ship and large port character of Lvsì operation area has become more and more distinctive.

Nantong implemented diversified ecological damage compensation first in China

By Peng Junjun and Huang Kai

On 15 July, *Implementation Plan on implementation of management regulations on ecological environment damage compensation* published by 17 departments (organizations) including Nantong Bureau of Ecology and Environment, Nantong Intermediate People’s Court, and Nantong People’s Procuratorate was implemented officially. It marked that Nantong promoted new way of diversified ecological damage compensation first in China. ‘The most striking feature of ‘Nantong plan’ is that it enriched the responsibility undertaking ways of ecological environment damage compensation, not just simple punishment, it encourages various places to discover building of ecological restoration base, increase alternative restoration methods including breeding and release, tree plantation and cultivation, alteration and improvement of standards of environmental protection facilities, and clean production.’ Zhang Jun, vice director of Nantong Bureau of Ecology and Environment said that after the plan was implemented, Nantong’s ecological environmental damage compensation would be more diversified, the effect would be easier to be felt by citizens.

Integrating with actual situations of various places, several places of Nantong have started attempts on diversified ecological damage compensation. Haimen organized the first collective labour service compensation activity in China. 27 people of first batch of 18 enterprises reduced ecological environment damage compensation fee by labour service compensation method in ecological public welfare forest. Hai’an released 600 thousand fish fries near Qingdun relics, to restore the ecology of water area after environmental pollution accidents, and maintain the biological balance of the water system. Chongchuan used ecological damage compensation in ecological environment restoration demonstration base in the mouth of Tonglv Canal connecting the Yangtze River... Diversified ecological damage compensation, turned polluters to guardians. Zhu Jianxin, person in charge of a plastic spray enterprise which participated in labour service compensation, said with deep feelings, ‘in the past environmental pollution was treated by just punishment, and we had resentment in our hearts. Now we participate in ecological restoration ourselves, we feel the beauty of ecological achievements ourselves, and concept of ecological and environment protection is naturally in our mind.’

He left his precious life in Qinghai–Xizang Plateau

By Zhao Yongqian

On 20 July, after the video of Xu Hui, 62-year-old project manager of Tongzhou Construction General Contracting Group who helped people bravely was published online, many netizens spontaneously mourned the mortal hero. At about 12 o’clock of 19 July, Xu Hui, who was taking a walk by Huangshui River, Xining, Qinghai Province, suddenly heard ‘thump thump’ sound from the water channel, after careful search, he found a female drowning person. Xu Hui jumped into water without a second thought. In the dangerous moment, Xu Hui held the drowning person tightly with one hand, and grabbed a tree branch which bent to the river with the other hand, tried to support the drowning person to the bank, but due to the long time, he was severely exhausted, did not save the drowning person, and himself was carried away by fast-moving water and was missing. After the accident happened, professional rescue team worked the whole night, made every ef-



Xu Hui, member of CPC Committee of Tongzhou Construction General Contracting Group

fort to save, went into water to search over and over. Finally at 0:24 of 20 July, by the generator set impeller which was more than 10 meters deep, Xu Hui’s corpse was discovered. ‘He did not know the drowning person, but gave a hand without hesitation. We shall learn from him.’ Xu Hui’s active moved everyone on the site who participated the rescue.