

## NOTICE TO MARINERS No 55(T) of 2021 Port of Southampton

## **River Itchen Wreck Removal**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that two wrecks are scheduled for removal on the River Itchen week commencing the 19<sup>th</sup> July for approximately 2 weeks.

The locations of the wrecks are shown on the below charts:

- No 1 Wreck of a 16mtr fishing vessel opposite Dibbles Wharf
- No 21 Sunken yacht South of Northam Bridge.



The following vessels will be involved:

- "WILCAT" will push the barge "WILCARRY 503" from the Empress dock to site 1 hour before High water.
- "WILCAT" will position the "WILCARRY 503" just off the wreck and secure the "WILCARRY 503" in position with Spud legs to the seabed.
- The "WILCARRY 503" will stay on station aground throughout the low tide with crew on the barge once the tide permits the "WILCAT" will push barge to the Empress dock.

All operations will be daylight hours only.

The "WILCAT" will be on station listening on VHF CH12 all the time the "WILCARRY 503" is afloat.

Mariners may also request movement information from Southampton VTS on VHF Channel 12.

This Notice will be self-canceling on completion of the wreck removal.

Vessel Traffic Services Centre Ocean Dock, Atlantic Way Southampton Steven Masters Harbour Master

15<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Sailing Organisations should ensure that the contents of this Notice are made known to the masters or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.

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