

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No 25 (T) of 2022 Port of Southampton MDL Maintenance Dredging 2022

Notice is hereby given that MDL Marinas will be undertaking maintenance dredging works will take place with approximately 2 weeks at each site, 8 weeks in total.

Provisional program, weather dependent, is as follows:

Shamrock Quay – Tuesday 11/01/22 to Friday 28/01/22 Ocean Village – Monday 14/03/22 to Friday 01/04/22 Hythe Marina Village Approach – Friday 01/04/22 to Monday 18/04/22

The works will commence on or about Tuesday 11th January 2022 and will continue periodically over the next 5 months, with a completion expected at the end of April 2022.

The backhoe dredging works will be conducted by the dredger 'DOREEN DORWARD' and the hopper barges 'Nab' and 'Needles' will carry the spoil to the Nab disposal ground.





Mariners should expect to pass these vessels at any time between the upper reaches of the River Test, Southampton Water and Nab disposal grounds.

All vessels will display the lights and shapes as required by the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea (ColRegs) and mariners are requested to reduce speed, as safe navigation permits, when passing the vessel whilst engaged in dredging or loading activities.

All vessels involved will maintain a listening watch on VHF Channel 12 throughout the operations and mariners may also request movement information from Southampton VTS on VHF Channel 12.

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

11th January 2022

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.