



No 45b 2022

NOTICE TO MARINERS

<u>Lowestoft – Outer Harbour - Sladdens Pier – Piling</u> <u>Operations from Jack Up Barge – Phase 3</u>

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Mariners and port users are advised that construction activity – piling operations – continue and phase 3 will commence Friday 14th October. Duration of works for this phase of the construction is approximately 4 weeks (subject to weather and operational delays).

Working hours are anticipated to be Mon – Fri 0700hrs to 1900hrs, with options for Saturdays 0700hrs to 1300hrs.

Works will be carried out using the Jack up barge Haven Seariser 3 assisted by tugs Taska 1 and TM Star for movements and barge positioning. The barge will be undertaking piling work along the entire seaward face of the Pier, but the barge will be working from a position moored within the Trawl Dock, SE corner.

The Seastabler will remain moored alongside the Haven Seariser 3, with occasional moves back to the South Loadout berth at the former SLP site.

During this phase of works there will be no restrictions to vessels transiting the main navigational channel. Access to the East end of the SSE pontoons, in the NE corner of the Trawl Dock will be partly restricted. There will also be no leisure waiting pontoon facility in the Trawl Dock. During this period the Heritage pontoon at the Eastern end of the Royal Norfolk and Suffolk Yacht Basin can be used as a waiting pontoon. Access from the shore however is not available.

Figure 1 shows the area of works, figure 2 shows planned positions of the barges during phase 3 works. This is the second phase of the works. A new notice will be issued once this phase of construction has been completed.

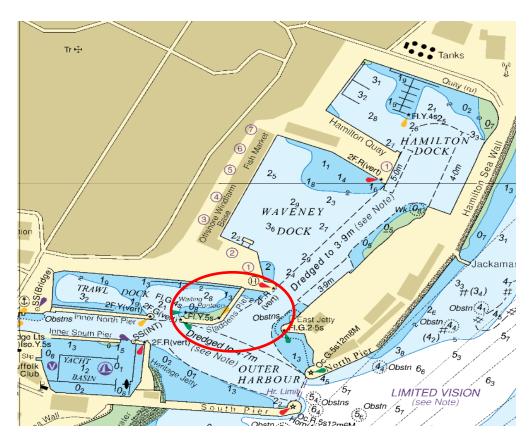


Figure 1 - Location of Sladdens Pier extract from BA1535 – highlighted in red

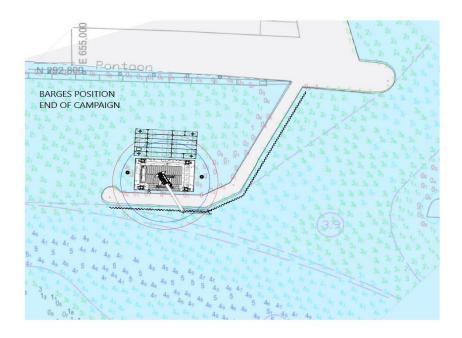


Figure 2 – Barge positions – phase 3 of construction works

This notice supersedes NTM No.45a 2022.

Please contact Lowestoft Port Control – VHF Ch14, Tel. 01502 572286 (Option 3), if further information is required.

Divisional Harbour Master East Anglia

14 October 2022

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