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NOTICE TO MARINERS No.14 of 2022

Barrow Channels Maintenance Dredge

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **Thurs 28th Apr 2022** and for a period of approximately 5 weeks, the trailer suction hopper dredger, SHOALWAY will commence dredging the Barrow approach channels between Lightning Knoll and Ramsden Dock Entrance.



Dredging will be almost continuous. Mariners should expect to encounter the vessel at any time and at any position between Ramsden Dock Entrance and the disposal area (which is approximately 2 miles South of Lightning Knoll Buoy).

The dredger & the various survey craft (Primarily **Porthos**, as well as **Wyke /Christine H/Furness Abbey** at **some points during the project**) will display lights and shapes as required by the International Regulations for the Prevention of Collisions at Sea. **Survey Ops will start Sat 23rd Apr 2022.**

Survey vessel “**Christine H**”



Survey vessel “**Porthos**”



Survey Vessel “**Wyke**”



Survey Vessel “**Furness Abbey**”



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Mariners are requested to give these vessels a wide berth when dredging/surveying or dumping spoils in the disposal area. The dredger should be given a wide berth when transiting the Barrow approach channels as she may be constrained by her draught.

All vessels will maintain a listening watch on VHF Channel 12 throughout their operations. Mariners may also request dredger movement and information from "Barrow Port Radio" also on VHF Channel 12.

A further notice will be issued upon completion.

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