

DUBLIN PORT COMPANY

NOTICE TO MARINERS

NO.20 of 2016

Marine Site Investigation “Borehole” Works

As part of the Alexandra Basin Regeneration Project, Marine Borehole Site Investigation works will be carried out within Alexandra Basin West, Dublin Port approach fairway and the channel within the Breakwaters up to as far as the East Link (Thomas Clarke) Toll Bridge. It is expected that these works will take place from the 1st August 2016 to the 12th of November 2016. (15 Weeks)

A total of 128 drilled boreholes and multiple seabed grab samples will be taken using two medium sized Jack-Up Barges ‘Skate 3’ and ‘Aran 120’ (Length 19m, Beam 19 m) and a 25m Multi-Cat vessel ‘Fastnet Sound’. The Marine Site Investigation works within the Approach Fairway and Channel will be carried out during daylight hours and on a 24/7 basis within both Alexandra Basin West and Berths 52/53.

All craft will monitor Channel 12 continuously and show the required lights and shapes. All vessels should pass at slow speed and make due allowance for this operation.

VTs will keep all vessels updated and advised of any relevant information.

PDF Drawings showing the location of Boreholes available at:-

<http://www.dublinport.ie/information-centre/notice-to-mariners/2016-20-marine-site-investigation-borehole-works/>

All Notice to Mariners can be located on the Dublin Port Company Website by clicking on the following link : <http://www.dublinport.ie/information-centre/notice-to-mariners/>

This notice is self-cancelling.

**Captain David T. Dignam,
Harbour Master.**

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