
NOTICE TO MARINERS

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R I V E R H U M B E R

IMMINGHAM OIL TERMINAL BERTH 3 LOADING ARM REMOVAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday 3rd September 2024 (or as soon after as circumstances permit), work to remove the loading arm will take place at Immingham Oil Terminal berth 3.

The work will involve the removal of the loading arm by the crane barge “**MORTLIFT**” between the hours of 0700 hours and 1900 hours and a safety boat will be deployed whilst works are in progress.

Prior to the arrival of “**MORTLIFT**” the arm will be lowered into the horizontal position projecting from the jetty face, the extremity will be lit by a light with the characteristic Fl. Y 2sec.

During each lifting operation there will be numerous movements of the crane. These will often involve placing technicians in a lifting basket, culminating in the lifting of the loading arm. “**MORTLIFT**” will call VTS Humber on VHF Ch 12, thirty minutes prior to each lifting operation period. VTS Humber will issue warnings to all passing traffic throughout the lifting period. “**MORTLIFT**” will call VTS Humber once all operations are complete.

It is not intended that any berthing restrictions will be required on IOT 1 or IOT 2; however lifting operations may be suspended during times when vessels are berthing or unberthing.

The “**MORTLIFT**” will display the lights and signals prescribed in the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea and will maintain a listening watch on VHF channels 12, 16 and 69.

MARINERS ARE ADVISED to exercise care and caution in the area and to pass the site at SLOW SPEED whilst the crane barge is along side. The crane barge will contact VTS and Immingham Dock before the commencement of lifting operations.

CAPT. A. FIRMAN
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