

# NOTICE TO MARINERS

GIPPSLAND PORTS



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PORT OF GIPPSLAND LAKES

LAKES ENTRANCE BAR - DREDGING OPERATIONS

**DATE:** 6th November 2014

**DETAILS:** Mariners are advised that the Trailing Suction Hopper Dredge **Pelican** will be carrying out dredging operations on the Bar and inner channels at Lakes Entrance for approximately 5 weeks commencing Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2014. **Pelican** shall be distributing spoil offshore behind the surf zone and within an area of approximately two nautical miles to the East and West of the Entrance.

**Pelican** will display the lights and shapes specified in Rule 27(d) of the International Convention for Preventing Collisions at Sea and will operate 24 hours a day weather permitting. Mariners are directed to navigate with extreme caution and to maintain a safe distance from the **Pelican** at all times.

Approaching vessels that need to pass **Pelican** must contact the Master of **Pelican** and receive verbal permission to do so.

Communications with the **Pelican** shall be established via VHF Ch16. For further information please contact Gippsland Ports on +61 3 51500500 or at the website [www.gippslandports.vic.gov.au](http://www.gippslandports.vic.gov.au)

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**FURTHER** A further notice will be issued.

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