

# NOTICE TO MARINERS

**GIPPSLAND PORTS**



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**PORT OF GIPPSLAND LAKES**

**THE NARROWS SWING BASIN**

**MAINTENANCE DREDGING OPERATIONS**

**DATE:** 8<sup>th</sup> June 2017

**DETAILS:** Mariners are advised that the Cutter Suction Dredge "Kalimna" shall be carrying out maintenance dredging operations in The Narrows Swing Basin adjacent to the entrance to Hopetoun Channel.

During the Swing Basin maintenance dredging program the "Kalimna" dredge and associated pipeline and anchor mooring system shall be impeding the northern side of the eastern approach to Hopetoun Channel especially during the ebb tide. Mariners are advised to pass to the east of the "Kalimna" and to the south of her associated pipeline and anchor mooring system.

During dredging operations "Kalimna" shall be displaying the lights and day shapes as required by Marine Orders Part 30 and the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea. The pipeline and anchor mooring buoys are not lit at night.

Mariners are advised to take extra precaution when transiting The Narrows and approaches to Hopetoun Channel especially at night.

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**PUBLICATIONS** Admiralty Sailing Directions Australian Pilot Vol II NP14  
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**FURTHER** A further Notice shall be issued  
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