

Port of Fleetwood

NOTICE TO MARINERS No 011 of 2022

WORK REQUIRING PERMISSION

MARINERS ARE ADVISED THAT IN ORDER TO SAFEGUARD THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT & TO CONFORM TO THE LEGAL REQUIREMENTS WITHIN THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT OF 1995, THE MARINE MANAGER, AS HARBOUR MASTER IS TO BE NOTIFIED PRIOR TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING TAKING PLACE ANYWHERE ON THE PORT;

- Hot Work
- Engine Immobilisation or Engine Trials
- Diving or In Water Cleaning (Hull, Props etc)
- Special Events
(E.G. Sailing Regatta's, Swimming Events or Firework Display)
- Bunkering Operations

NOTE: The Flying of drones in the Port is covered by a separate procedure.

Please allow up to 5 working days for a response to the permission request.

For the Bunkering of vessels;

- To ensure a rapid response by ABP Personnel to an incident, bunkering should only take place when the Lockhead or Marina offices are manned.
- Prior to any bunkering operations other than the taking of fuel at the fuel pontoon, a Bunkering Check List is to be completed. A vessel's/company's own checklist which can show that they operate to best practice, may continue to operate their own procedures, a record of which should be maintained onboard.

- Fleetwood Lockhead or the Marina Offices are to be advised prior to commencing operations that:
 1. the checklist is completed;
 2. bunkering is about to commence;
 3. when bunkering is complete;
 4. quantity received.

Shore side filling of holding tanks

- Single skinned tanks that are not contained within a bund should not be used for the storage of fuel/oils ashore;
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 2. bunkering is about to commence;
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In the event of an oil spill or oil being sighted in the water an immediate report must be made to Fleetwood Lockhead or the Marina Offices by quickest means.

This notice cancels LNM 27 of 2014

Steve Hearn

Marine Manager, Fleetwood

11th July 2022