



# THE BRISTOL PORT COMPANY

## NOTICE TO MARINERS (No. 13 of 2024)

### DREDGING DISPOSAL OPERATIONS IN THE PORT OF BRISTOL

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that DREDGING DISPOSAL OPERATIONS are to be undertaken within Royal Portbury Dock, Royal Portbury Entrance, and Avonmouth Entrance. Dredged material from the Entrances will be placed at Portishead disposal site (LU070) and Avonmouth Inner disposal site (LU080). Admiralty Charts 1859 and 1176 refer.

This work will be carried out by TSHD *Shoalway*. Anticipated to commence from Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April for a period of approximately 21 days.

The vessel will operate on a 24 hour basis and therefore there will be an increase in vessel movements inside Royal Portbury Dock and Lock, Royal Portbury Entrance, Avonmouth Entrance and the King Road area.

The vessel will be restricted in its ability to manoeuvre and will display the signals prescribed by the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 Rule 27 sub-paragraphs (b) and (d) as appropriate.

*Shoalway* will maintain a listening watch on VHF channels 12, 14 & 16.

Bristol VTS & Portbury Dock Radio will keep vessels informed of their movements as necessary.

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11<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

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