

**Victorian Notice to Mariners**

The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

**Australia – Victoria  
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BASS STRAIT EAST– INVERLOCH**

**Date:** EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

**Details:** Mariners are advised of a mooring deployment of a Sofar Spotter wave buoy, collecting wave data for the Victorian Coastal Monitoring Program (VCMP), deployed by Deakin University and funded by the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (DELWP). The deployment is expected to be of a 12 month duration.

Approximate buoy location: 0.5 NM South of Inverloch Surf Beach  
Position: 38°39.294'S, 145° 42.247'E    Approx. depth: 10 m.  
The Special Mark Buoy has the following light characteristic:  
FL (1) 5s. 2-3 NM

Special Mark Buoy measures 42 cm in width and is attached to two (2) orange floats. It displays an amber light with characteristic: Fl.Am.2.5s.



Mariners are further advised to keep clear of the area where the buoys are deployed.

**AUS Charts and Publications Affected:** AUS801, AU439145

**Victorian Charts and publications affected:** Nil

**Further Notice:** A further Notice will be issued.

**Further Information:** For further information contact contact Jak McCarroll, Victorian Coastal Monitoring Program, Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning, 0418 873 854, [jak.mccarroll@delwp.vic.gov.au](mailto:jak.mccarroll@delwp.vic.gov.au)

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**CAMERON TOY**  
Director Maritime Safety

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