

Victorian Notice to Mariners

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Australia – Victoria No. 369 (T) - 2023 PORT OF MELBOURNE YARRA RIVER SWEEPING WORKS

Date: 11 September 2023

Refers: N/A

Details: Mariners are advised that sweeping works will take place from **12 September**

for approximately 4 days until 15 September 2023.

Sweeping works will take place at the following location:

• Yarra River, in vicinity of services pipeline and adjacent areas

Sweeping works will be conducted **around shipping movements** during daylight hours only from **0600 hrs to 1800 hrs** by sweep tug *Edi* (LOA 23.89, Beam 7.30m).

The sweeping works will be supported by the survey vessels **Total 5** and **John Norgate**.

Vessels involved in sweeping works will be monitoring **VHF Channel 68 and 12**. The works supervisor can be contacted on **0415 652 627**.

Domestic commercial vessels (DCV) are required to communicate with sweep tug *Edi* to arrange safe passing requirements.

Recreational vessels must keep out of the way of sweep tug *Edi* undertaking sweeping operations.

Mariners are advised to navigate with additional caution in the vicinity of the sweeping operations.

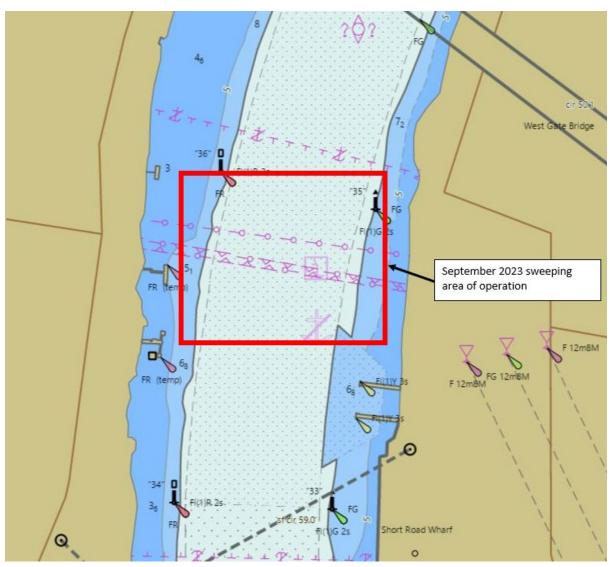
For further information, please contact Melbourne VTS on VHF Channel 12 or 9644 9700.

Charts & Publications affected:

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Further notice: Further notice will be issued.

David Tilsley
Deputy Harbour Master
(Navigation Services)



NOT FOR NAVIGATION

This notice is a direction of the Harbour Master pursuant to section 232 of the *Marine Safety Act 2010* (Vic)

The requirements of section 232(2) have been taken into account.



Sweep tug *Edi*