

The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information

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PORT OF MELBOURNE

PORT PHILLIP BAY

HLV SEAWAY SWAN AND DRILL RIG VALARIS 107

EXCLUSION ZONE

Date: 15 September 2023

Refers: NtM 291 (T) – 2023 and is hereby cancelled.

Details: Mariners are advised the Heavy Lift Vessel (HLV) **Seaway Swan** is scheduled to load the drill rig **Valaris 107** and depart Port Phillip Bay. Operations are expected to commence at approximately 1200hrs on 15 September 2023 and extend for approximately 4 days.

The **Seaway Swan**, currently at anchor in Port Phillip Bay, will load the **Valaris 107** in the following approximate position:

- 38° 06.0' S 144° 53.0' E

The **Valaris 107** will be towed from soft pin position (37° 59.05' S 144° 46.68' E) to the loading position (38° 06.0' S 144° 53.0' E) by the following vessels:

- **SL Martinique**
- **SL Kamay**
- **Engage Rival**

Mariners are advised that a temporary exclusion zone of 500m will be in force around **Valaris 107** and accompanying towing vessels. All vessels must keep well clear and not enter the 500m exclusion zone.

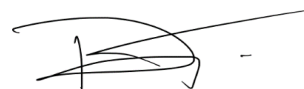
For more information, please contact Melbourne VTS on 9644 9700 or VHF Channel 12.

Mariners are advised to navigate with additional caution in the vicinity of Seaway Swan, Valaris 107 and accompanying towing vessels, having due regard to the manoeuvrability of the vessels and exclusion zone requirements.

Charts & Publications affected: AUS 143, AUS 157
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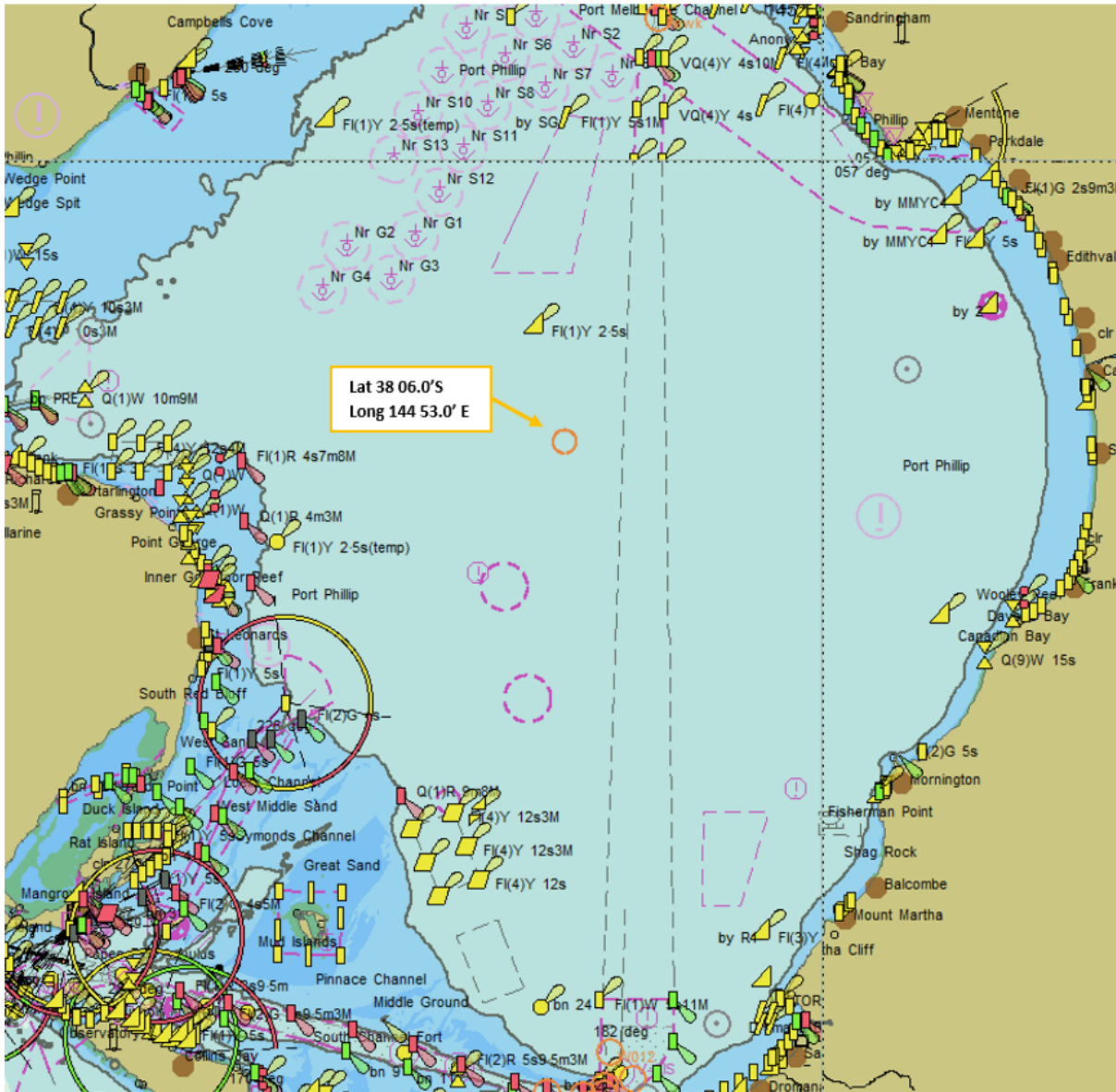
**Further
notice:**

This is a self-cancelling NtM, and no further notice will be issued.



David Tilsley
Deputy Harbour Master
(Navigation Services)

Valaris 107 float on position



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.