

## Victorian Notice to Mariners

The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

### Australia – Victoria No. 507 (T) of 2023 BASS STRAIT – LORNE & AIREYS INLET

**Date:** EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

**Details:**

Mariners are advised that Notice to Mariners No. 053 (Temporary) of 2023 is referred and cancelled.

Mariners are advised that two special buoys have been re-established in positions (refer locations below) to mark Fish Aggregation Devices (FADs). One buoy is located approximately 3 nautical miles east of Lorne and the other buoy is approximately 3.2 nautical miles southeast of Aireys Inlet.

Each special buoy is 1.26 metres high and 800mm in diameter and displays a yellow flashing light as detailed below.

#	Location	Position	Light Characteristics
6	3NM E of Lorne	38° 32.299' S 144° 02.354' E	Fl Y 5s 2-3 NM
7	3.2NM SE of Aireys Inlet	38° 29.367' S 144° 09.932' E	Fl Y 5s 2-3 NM

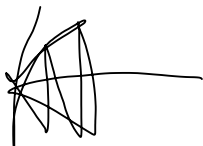
The two buoys will be temporarily withdrawn for the winter months in May 2024 and re-established again in December 2024.

**AUS Charts and Publications Affected:** AUS 788, ENC AU 439144

**Victorian Charts and publications affected:** Nil

**Further Notice:** A further Notice will be issued in relation to withdrawal of the buoys.

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