

The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information

**Australia – Victoria****No. 055 (T) - 2025****PORT OF MELBOURNE****PORT PHILLIP BAY****SEARCH AND RESCUE TRAINING****Date:** 28 January 2025**Refers:** N/A**Details:** Mariners and port users are advised that **search and rescue training**, involving aerial stores delivery, will be conducted during the following periods:

- 30 January 2025 between 0830 hrs and 1030 hrs
- 31 January 2025 between 1430 hrs and 1630 hrs
- 01 February 2025 between 0830 hrs and 1030 hrs
- 04 February 2025 between 1430 hrs and 1630 hrs
- 10 February 2025 between 0830 hrs and 1030 hrs

Aircraft **Rescue 550** will be conducting the training in the following approximate position (reference attached chartlet):

- 38° 06' S 144° 52' E

Vessel **Bacardi** will be on location, supporting training operations and is contactable on VHF Channel 16, 12 and 6.

Search and rescue training operations (Leidos Operations) may be contacted on **08 8154 5666**.

A training beacon active on 121.4 MHz or 406 MHz may be operating in the area during the training operation.

**Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the vicinity of the training operation.**

For more information, please email the Navigation Services department at [NavigationServices@ports.vic.gov.au](mailto:NavigationServices@ports.vic.gov.au) or contact Melbourne VTS on 9644 9700 or on VHF Channel 12.

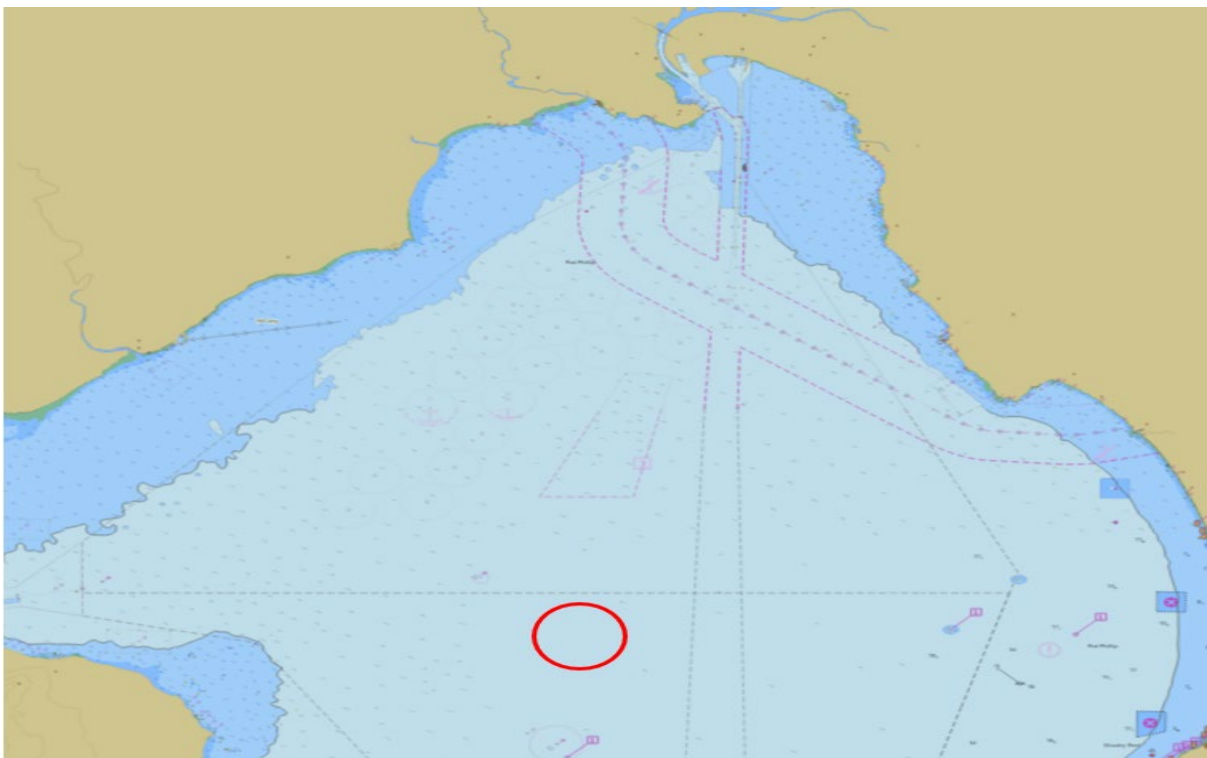
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**Further notice:** This is a self-cancelling NtM, and no further notice will be issued.



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