

## Local Notices to Mariners

<b>LNTM No.</b>	012/2020
<b>Subject</b>	<b>COVID-19 – Restriction of Vessel Movements within St Peter Port and St Sampson Harbours.</b>

### COVID-19 Restrictions. Movements of Vessels in the Harbours

In accordance with Section 13 of the Harbours Ordinance, 1988, Guernsey VTS has the delegated power of the Harbourmaster to control all vessel movements within St Peter Port and St Sampson Harbours and approaches. This includes movements in the Albert, Victoria, Queen Elizabeth and St Sampson Marinas.

Under the current restrictions put in place by Guernsey's Director of Public Health the majority of waterborne activity is considered non-essential and is therefore strongly discouraged. However, within the Harbour Limits Guernsey VTS can prohibit the movement of *any* craft or vessel.

To this end the following vessels can be given approval to proceed, on request:

- **RoRo and LoLo Vessels serving the Bailiwick's supply chain.**
- **Hydrocarbon Vessels serving the Bailiwick's supply chain.**
- **Other cargo vessels serving the Bailiwick's supply chain.**
- **Inter-Island Ferries.**
- **GU registered commercial fishing vessels to engage in fishing where the catch is landed in the Bailiwick.**
- **Vessels responding to an emergency.**
- **Vessels engaged in law enforcement activities.**
- **Vessels conducting a MEDIVAC.**
- **Harbour Authority Vessels.**
- **Vessels under the care of a Marine Trader for maintenance purposes.**

Any vessel that does not fall into the categories above are to remain on their berth or mooring unless there is a requirement to move them for safety reasons and then only on approval from VTS.

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