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The substance of these notices should be inserted on the charts affected.

Notices to Mariners information relating to British Admiralty Publications unavailable on this web site at this stage but still available in printed form:-

- Section II. Corrections to Admiralty List of Lights, Vol K.**
- Section V. Corrections to Admiralty List of Radio Signals.**
- Section VI. Corrections to Sailing Directions.**

Bearings are referred to the true compass and are reckoned clockwise from 000° (North) to 359°: those relating to lights are given as seen by an observer from seaward. The range quoted for a light is its nominal range. Fog signals are sounded only during thick or foggy weather, unless otherwise stated. Depths are with reference to the chart datum of each chart. Heights are above mean high water springs or mean higher high water, as appropriate.

The capital letter (P) or (T) after the number of any notice denotes a preliminary or temporary notice respectively, which are contained separately at the end of the permanent notices. A star () adjacent to the number of a notice indicates that the notice is based on original information.*

Mariners are particularly requested to notify the AUSTRALIAN HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE, Locked Bag 8801 South Coast Mail Centre, NSW 2521 (Fax 02-4221 8599), e-mail hni.hydro@navy.gov.au or, alternatively by filling in and submitting the **Hydrographic Notes forms, immediately on the discovery of new dangers or suspected dangers to navigation. For changes or defects in aids to navigation notify AusSAR (Fax 02-6230 6868).**

Copies of these notices can be obtained from the AUSTRALIAN HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE, 8 Station Street, Wollongong, the Agents for the sale of Australian and Admiralty charts in Australia, and from the Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) Offices, in the major ports of Australia

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587	Aus 252,254,825
588	Aus 628
589	Aus 382,568
590	Aus 109,110
591	Aus 4060,4601, INT 60, INT 601
592	Aus 181
593(T)	Aus 195,808
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597(T)	Aus 154
598(T)	Aus 182,357,357A,358
599(T)	Summer time

583 AUSTRALIA - Publications - New edition to be published shortly.
 HS RAN (99/77408). (AH99/139)

Chart	Title	Scale
Aus 172	Australia - Tasmania - Port of Hobart	1:10 000
	Inset: Bowen Bridge	1:10 000
	Plan: Sullivans Cove	1:5 000

584 AUSTRALIA - Publications - New edition British Admiralty publication.
 Admiralty Notices Ed 33, 35 & 37/99 (99/7040). (AH99/226)

NP No	Title	Date	RRP (UK)	Remarks
NP 14	Australia Pilot, Volume II (Seventh Edition, 1999)	11/2/99	£36:00	Volume II (Sixth Edition, 1982) and Supplement No 8 are thereby cancelled.
NP 36	Indonesia Pilot, Volume I (Third Edition, 1999)	15/4/99	£36:00	Volume I, Second Edition, 1996 is thereby cancelled
NP 62s	Supplement No 8, 1999 to Pacific Islands Pilot, Volume III	4/3/99	£5:70	Supplement No 7, 1996 is thereby cancelled

585* AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Gladstone - Wreck eastward.
 HMAS *Benalla* (99/7217) & Auscoast 288/99 (99/7340). (AH 98/292)

Aus 366 [521/99]

Insert	depth, 12fm, enclosed by danger circle, with legend <i>Wk</i>	23° 53'.33 S	151° 38'.67 E
Delete	depth 14fm	23° 53'.6 S	151° 39'.0 E

Aus 819 [467/99]

Insert	depth, 23m, enclosed by danger circle, with legend <i>Wk</i>	23° 53'.32 S	151° 38'.59 E
Delete	depth 24m	23° 53'.6 S	151° 38'.2 E

Note: The wreck has been incorporated in the new edition of Aus 246 to be published shortly

586* AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Whitsunday Group - Surprise Rock - Light beacon.

Former Notice - 165(T)/99 is cancelled
 Queensland Transport Notice 424/99 (99/6962). (AH 99/16)

Aus 252 [413/99]

Substitute	isolated danger light beacon, <i>Fl(2)6s</i> , with topmark, for beacon	20° 21'.34 S	149° 01'.60 E
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Aus 370 [755/98]

Substitute	isolated danger light beacon, <i>Fl(2)6s</i> , with topmark, for beacon	20° 21'.34 S	149° 01'.60 E
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Aus 371 [374/99]

Insert	isolated danger light beacon, <i>Fl(2)6s</i> , with topmark, for drying rock	20° 21'.34 S	149° 01'.63 E
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Aus 824 [373/99]

Substitute	isolated danger light beacon, <i>Fl(2)6s</i> , with topmark, for beacon	20° 21'.34 S	149° 01'.60 E
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587* AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Whitsunday Group - Bird Island - Light altered.

List of Lights Vol K/99 -- 3066.80

Queensland Transport Notice 430/99 (99/7143). (AH 99/16)

Aus 252 [586/99]

Amend light to Q(9) 15s (a) 20° 05'.40 S 148° 52'.21 E

Delete sectors at the light (a)

Aus 254 [177/97]

Amend light to Q(9) 15s (a) 20° 05'.41 S 148° 52'.12 E

Delete sectors at the light (a)

Aus 825 [755/98]

Amend light to Q(9) 15s 20° 05'.4 S 148° 52'.2 E

588* PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Goschen Strait - Raven Channel - Buoy permanently withdrawn.

Former Notice - 674(T)/96 is cancelled

AMSA (99/6968) (AH99/454)

Aus 628 [467/95]

Delete port lateral buoy 10° 15'.1 S 150° 56'.6 E

589* PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Louisiade Archipelago - Bramble Haven - Reef.

Keith Fleming (99/7190) (AH98/203)

Aus 382 [99/99]

Insert danger line between
11° 11'.3 S 152° 01'.6 E
11° 10'.9 S 152° 01'.6 E
11° 10'.5 S 152° 03'.0 E
11° 11'.0 S 152° 04'.1 E
11° 11'.6 S 152° 04'.4 E

Aus 568 [467/95]

Insert danger line between
11° 11'.3 S 152° 01'.6 E
11° 10'.9 S 152° 01'.6 E
11° 10'.5 S 152° 03'.0 E
11° 11'.0 S 152° 04'.1 E
11° 11'.6 S 152° 04'.5 E

590* WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Albany - Quarantine limit revoked.

AQIS (98/10977) (AH98/105)

Aus 109 [597/98]

Delete magenta pecked line, with legend Quarantine Line,
between 35° 03'.76 S 117° 56'.61 E
35° 01'.50 S 117° 57'.34 E
legend, Quarantine Anchorage, centred on 35° 02'.61 S 117° 56'.31 E

Aus 110 [412/98]

Delete magenta pecked line, with legend Quarantine Line,
between 35° 04'.05 S 117° 56'.00 E
35° 00'.33 S 117° 55'.90 E
legend Quarantine 35° 01'.30 S 117° 55'.73 E
legend Anchorage 35° 03'.12 S 117° 56'.50 E

591* AUSTRALIA - TASMAN SEA - Tasmania - Shoal depth eastward.
AGSO (99/7039) (AH99/179)

Aus 4060 (INT 60) [554/99]

Insert depth, 631m, and extend 1000m contour SE to enclose 43° 55'.5 S 150° 28'.0 E

Delete depth 823m 43° 50'.5 S 150° 30'.0 E

Aus 4601 (INT 601) [435/99]

Insert depth, 631m, and extend 1000m contour SE to enclose 43° 55'.5 S 150° 28'.0 E

Delete depth 823m 43° 50'.5 S 150° 30'.0 E

592* AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Port Franklin - Light amended.

List of Lights Vol K/99 -- 2529.00

Victorian Notice 58/99 (99/7214). (AH99/21)

Aus 181 [351/99]

Amend No12 light beacon to *Fl. WR. 2s* 38° 42'.5 S 146° 17'.5 E

593(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - NEW SOUTH WALES - Port Kembla - Waverider buoy.

Date - Until 5 November 1999

Lawson & Treloar Pty Ltd (99/7247). (AH 98/279)

A waverider light buoy, *Fl(5) Y. 20s*, exists in position 34° 28'.39 S 150° 54'.83 E.

Mariners are not to use the buoy as a mooring.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 195 - Aus 808.

594(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Gold Coast - Light buoys.

Date - Until further notice

Queensland Transport Notice 427/99 (99/7143). (AH 99/14)

Special light buoys, *Q. Y.*, exist in positions (WGS 84) as follows:

28° 00'.34 S 153° 26'.39 E

28° 00'.20 S 153° 26'.34 E

28° 00'.01 S 153° 26'.38 E

27° 58'.66 S 153° 26'.21 E

27° 58'.49 S 153° 26'.12 E

27° 58'.35 S 153° 26'.13 E

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 814.

595(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Mackay Reef to Lark Reef - Scientific instruments.

Date - Until 20 April 2000

AIMS (99/7380). (AH 98/16)

Bottom mounted current meters, marked by unlit dan buoys, exist as follows:

16° 00'.99 S 145° 40'.38 E

15° 20'.10 S 145° 40'.75 E

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 373 - Aus 831.

596(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - Western Australia, South Australia - and Victoria - Lobster fishery.

Date - Until 1 July 2000

AMSA (99/7356). (AH 99/357)

Mariners are requested, when passage permits, to transit outside the 200metre/100fm isobath in the following areas:

(a) Western Australian coast between 24° S and 34° S

(b) South Australian/Victorian coast between Cape Jaffa and Cape Nelson.

Attention is drawn to the relevant note on the navigational charts and Australian Pilots Vol I (seventh edition 1992) and Vol V (seventh edition 1992).

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 330 - Aus 331 - Aus 332 - Aus 333 - Aus 334 - Aus 335 - Aus 347 - Aus 348 - Aus 749 - Aus 751 - Aus 752 - Aus 753 - Aus 754 - Aus 755 - Aus 756.

597(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Melbourne - Swanson Dock and South Wharf - Depth information.

Former Notice - 543(T)/99 is cancelled

Victorian Notice 57/99 (99/7142). (AH 99/209)

Available depth of berth as at 15 September 1999:

Swanson Dock:

No4 East 12.3m

No4 West 12.5m

* South Wharf 8.8m

No3 West has been restored to 13.1m

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 154.

598(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Lakes Entrance - Waverider buoy removed.

Former Notice - 651(T)/98 is cancelled

Victorian Notice 60/99 (99/7347). (AH 99/410)

Cancel this notice on receipt

Chart formerly affected - Aus 182 - Aus 357 - Aus 357A - Aus 358

599(T)/99 AUSTRALIA - Summer time.

Date - Until 27 March 2000

HS RAN (99/7410). (AH 99/259)

1. Clocks will be advanced/retarded one hour in the following states at 0300 local time as follows:

	<i>Advanced</i>	<i>Retarded</i>
Australian Capital Territory	31 OCT 1999	27 MAR 2000
New South Wales	31 OCT 1999	27 MAR 2000
South Australia	31 OCT 1999	27 MAR 2000
Victoria	31 OCT 1999	27 MAR 2000
Tasmania	3 OCT 1999	27 MAR 2000

III NAVIGATION WARNINGS

The following radio messages have been received during the period to 1 October 1999. Signal copies of these messages may be destroyed. It is recommended that the reprint of Navigational Warnings should be kept in a file or a book divided into areas. Cancellation should be made on receipt of signals and reprints.

Rigs on location other than those listed in the latest Section III summary are the subject of Radio Navigational Warnings. Rigs in transit will not be the subject of Warnings.

AUSCOAST WARNINGS

- 281 Cancelled.
282 Cancelled.
283 NW Coast. Drill rig *Ensco 56* in position 20° 22'.2 S 115° 11'.1 E. 2.5 NM clearance requested.
284 Cancelled.
285 Cancelled.
286 NW Coast. Drill rig *Sedco 702* in position 39° 39'.7 S 145° 45'.0 E. 2.5 NM clearance requested.
287 SW Coast. Mariners are requested to avoid rock lobster research activity 25 September to 18 October 1999 in following locations:
(a) 30° 54' S to 31° 05' S and 114° 54' E to 115° 08' E,
(b) 29° 09' S to 29° 33' S and 114° 23' E to 114° 43' E and
(c) west of the Abolhos Islands to depths of 30 fm (55m)
288 NE Coast. Uncharted wreck, least depth 23 metres, in position 23° 53' S 151° 39' E.
289 NW Coast. Drill rig *Marine 500* in position 20° 06'.6 S 114° 41'.9 E. 2.5 NM clearance requested.
290 NW Coast. Seismic survey vessel *Arcadian Searcher* towing 2.5M cable in area 12° 15' S to 13° 20' S and 124° 30' E to 125° 30' E.
291 Cancelled.

NAVAREA X WARNINGS

Nil issued.

Navigational warnings in force as at 301500UTC SEP 99.

Auscoast

1999 132 238 268 269 272 279 283 286 287 288 289 290.

Navarea X

1999 024.

Summary of mobile drilling rigs as at 301500UTC SEP 99.

Name	Position
Ocean Epoch	12° 28'.8 S 130° 48'.8 E
Ron Tappmeyer	20° 36'.0 S 116° 45'.0 E
Ensco 56	20° 22'.2 S 115° 11'.1 E
Marine 500	20° 06'.6 S 114° 41'.9 E
Sedco 702	39° 39'.7 S 145° 45'.0 E

NAVAREA XIV WARNINGS

- 142 Cancelled.
143 Cancelled.
144 Cancelled.
145 South Pacific. CS *Vercors* engaged in cable laying operations between 31° 30' S 175° 25' W and 4° 40' S 165° 56' W.
146 Cancelled.
147 Cancelled.

Navarea XIV warnings in force as at 300001UTC SEP 99.

1999 145.

IV

HYDROGRAPHIC REPORTS

<i>Locality</i>	<i>Report</i>	<i>Ship/Authority</i>	<i>Observer</i>
TIMOR- Yako Island Dili	Light Light buoy Monument	HMAS <i>Tobruk</i> HMAS <i>Darwin</i>	