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Port Authority of New South Wales

Aus 208 [442/2017]

Delete legend, Siren 32° 55'.55 S 151° 46'.77 E

954 AUSTRALIA - NEW SOUTH WALES - Port Jackson - Manns Point - Nomenclature

Viva Energy Australia

Aus 202 [593/2017]Amend legend to *Viva Energy Aust* 33° 50'.52 S 151° 11'.15 E**955 AUSTRALIA - NEW SOUTH WALES - South Solitary Island - Rock northwestwards**

Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water NSW

Aus 221 [333/2016]

Insert contour value, 15 30° 11'.88 S 153° 15'.18 E

Move rock which covers and uncovers, with legend (Q₆)
to 30° 11'.89 S 153° 15'.13 E
30° 11'.96 S 153° 15'.17 EDelete depth, 12₈m 30° 12'.0 S 153° 15'.2 E**956 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Bowen - Wreck**

Maritime Safety Queensland

Aus 268 [596/2017]

Insert stranded wreck 20° 01'.373 S 148° 15'.580 E

Aus 268 (plan, Bowen) [596/2017]

Insert stranded wreck 20° 01'.373 S 148° 15'.580 E

957 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Chapman Island - Light range amended

Australian Maritime Safety Authority

Aus 281 [895/2017]

Amend light range to 10/8M 12° 53'.1 S 143° 35'.8 E

Aus 834 [895/2017]

Amend light range to 10/8M 12° 53'.1 S 143° 35'.8 E

Aus 4620 (INT 620) [821/2017]

Amend light range to 10/8M 12° 53'.1 S 143° 35'.8 E

958 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Cooktown - Light buoy moved

Maritime Safety Queensland

Aus 270 (plan, Cooktown) [546/2017]Move light buoy 15° 27'.40 S 145° 15'.12 E
to 15° 27'.434 S 145° 15'.074 E

959 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Wyborn Reef - Light range amended

Australian Maritime Safety Authority

Aus 292 [1063/2016]

Amend light range to 10/8M 10° 49'.2 S 142° 46'.5 E

Aus 839 [823/2017]

Amend light range to 10/8M 10° 49'.2 S 142° 46'.5 E

Aus 4620 (INT 620) [957/2017]

Amend light range to 10/8M 10° 49'.2 S 142° 46'.5 E

Aus 4720 (INT 720) [958/2016]

Amend light range to 10/8M 10° 49'.2 S 142° 46'.5 E

960 PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Gigo Point to Kimbe - Light beacons; infrastructure

National Maritime Safety Authority PNG

Aus 674 [135/2013]Move light beacon to 5° 32'.06 S 150° 08'.29 E
5° 32'.013 S 150° 08'.273 E

Delete light beacon 5° 32'.13 S 150° 08'.13 E

Aus 677 (plan, Kimbe) [544/2016]Insert light beacon, *Fl.G.3s*, with starboard lateral topmark
[accompanying block](#) 5° 32'.102 S 150° 08'.277 E
5° 32'.9 S 150° 08'.9 EMove light beacon to 5° 32'.06 S 150° 08'.29 E
5° 32'.013 S 150° 08'.273 EDelete depth, 6₂m 5° 32'.10 S 150° 08'.28 E**961 AUSTRALIA - NORTHERN TERRITORY - Cape Croker - Light range amended**

Australian Maritime Safety Authority

Aus 714 [344/2016]

Amend light range to 11M 10° 58'.8 S 132° 35'.5 E

962 INDONESIA - Pulau Selaru - Tanjung Arousu - Light

Australian Hydrographic Service

Aus 310 [1026/2016]Amend light to, *Fl.10s 34m 18M* 8° 20'.4 S 130° 45'.4 E**Aus 4721 (INT 721)** [856/2017]Amend light range to, *18M* 8° 20'.4 S 130° 45'.4 E**963 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Brunswick Bay - Depths**HMAS *Leeuwin***Aus 37** [697/2017]Insert depth, 16₇m, enclosed by contour 15° 00'.48 S 124° 52'.36 E

depth, 13m, enclosed by contour 15° 07'.62 S 124° 50'.53 E

Aus 730 [697/2017]Insert depth, 16₇m, enclosed by contour 15° 00'.48 S 124° 52'.36 E

depth, 13m, enclosed by contour 15° 07'.62 S 124° 50'.53 E

depth, 9₈m, enclosed by contour 15° 13'.95 S 124° 48'.12 EDelete depth, 28₅m 15° 00'.6 S 124° 52'.4 E

964 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Cape Ronsard to Steep Point - Light range

Australian Maritime Safety Authority

Aus 74 [1113/2016]

Amend light range to 11M 26° 08'.9 S 113° 09'.7 E

Aus 331 [NE 10/2/2017]

Amend light range to 11M 26° 08'.9 S 113° 09'.7 E

light range to 11M 25° 16'.2 S 113° 04'.6 E

light range to 11M 24° 45'.5 S 113° 09'.3 E

Aus 4725 (INT 725) [782/2017]

Amend light range to 11M 26° 08'.9 S 113° 09'.7 E

light range to 11M 25° 16'.2 S 113° 04'.6 E

light range to 11M 24° 45'.5 S 113° 09'.3 E

965 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Fremantle - Infrastructure; depths

Former Notice - 579(T)/2017 is cancelled

Fremantle Ports

Aus 113 [322/2017]Insert [accompanying block](#) 32° 02'.25 S 115° 45'.16 E**966 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Fremantle - Deepwater Channel to Parmelia Bank - Topmark; AIS withdrawn**

Fremantle Ports

Aus 112 [651/2017]

Insert port lateral topmark 32° 00'.070 S 115° 41'.718 E

starboard lateral topmark 32° 00'.060 S 115° 41'.502 E

Delete magenta circle, with legend, AIS 32° 00'.07 S 115° 41'.72 E

Aus 117 [860/2017]

Insert starboard lateral topmark 32° 07'.454 S 115° 42'.038 E

967 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Mandurah - Nav aids; coastline

Department of Transport WA

Aus 116 (plan, Entrance to Mandurah Estuary) [552/2017]Insert [accompanying block](#) 32° 31'.5 S 115° 43'.0 E**968 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Montebello Saddle - Well**

Chevron Australia Pty Ltd

Aus 328 [900/2017]Insert depth, 1058m, enclosed by danger circle, with legend *Well* 20° 25'.94 S 114° 19'.14 E**Aus 329 [729/2017]**Insert depth, 1058m, enclosed by danger circle, with legend *Well* 20° 25'.94 S 114° 19'.14 E**Aus 4723 (INT 723) [605/2017]**Insert depth, 1058m, enclosed by danger circle, with legend *Well* 20° 25'.9 S 114° 19'.1 E**969 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Port Hedland - Hunt Point - Depths; infrastructure**

Pilbara Ports Authority

Aus 52 [142/2017]Insert [accompanying block A](#) 20° 18'.2 S 118° 34'.3 E[accompanying block B](#) 20° 18'.3 S 118° 31'.6 E**Aus 53 [59/2017]**Insert [accompanying block](#) 20° 18'.8 S 118° 34'.4 E

970	AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Rottnest Island - Light buoy withdrawn westwards		
Recfishwest			
Aus 754 [60/2017]			
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971	AUSTRALIA - SOUTH AUSTRALIA - Encounter Bay - Beacon		
Australian Hydrographic Service			
Aus 127 (plan, King Head to Port Elliot) [1032/2016]			
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972	AUSTRALIA - SOUTH AUSTRALIA - Gulf St Vincent - Orontes Bank - Light range amended		
Australian Maritime Safety Authority			
Aus 485 [904/2017]			
Amend	light range to 11M	34° 45'.4 S	138° 00'.5 E
Aus 781 [904/2017]			
Amend	light range to 11M	34° 45'.4 S	138° 00'.5 E
973	AUSTRALIA - SOUTH AUSTRALIA - Port Adelaide - Overhead power cable removed		
Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure SA Notice 22/2016			
Aus 130 [903/2017]			
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		34° 47'.46 S	138° 30'.59 E
	Pylon and legend, Pyl (110)	34° 47'.54 S	138° 31'.06 E
	Pylon and legend, Pyl (110)	34° 47'.46 S	138° 30'.59 E
Aus 137 [864/2017]			
Delete	overhead power cable with legend, safe clearance 54, between	34° 47'.54 S	138° 31'.06 E
		34° 47'.46 S	138° 30'.59 E
	Pylon and legend, Pyl (110)	34° 47'.54 S	138° 31'.06 E
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974	AUSTRALIA - SOUTH AUSTRALIA - Walrus Rock - Rock; depth		
Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure SA			
Aus 485 [972/2017]			
Delete	underwater rock and semi-enclosing danger line	33° 59'.0 S	137° 29'.4 E
Aus 777 [735/2017]			
Replace	depth, 2 ₇ m, with depth, 3 ₆ m	33° 59'.2 S	137° 29'.8 E
Delete	underwater rock and enclosing danger circle	33° 59'.0 S	137° 29'.4 E
975	AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Corner Inlet - Barry Beach - Depths		
Gippsland Ports			
Aus 182 (plan, Barry Beach Marine Terminal) [739/2017]			
Replace	depth, 5 ₉ m, with depth, 5 ₇ m	38° 42'.87 S	146° 22'.84 E
	depth, 6 ₂ m, with depth, 5 ₉ m	38° 43'.31 S	146° 22'.62 E
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Gippsland Ports			
Aus 182 (plan, Port Welshpool) [975/2017]			
Replace	depth, 2 ₂ m, with depth, 2m, enclosed by contour	38° 42'.18 S	146° 27'.92 E

977 AUSTRALIA - TASMANIA - Three Hummock Island - Wreck

Former Notice - 889(T)/2017 is cancelled
Marine and Safety Tasmania

Aus 790 [460/2017]

Insert safe clearance depth, 20m, enclosed by danger circle with legend, Wk

40° 27'.64 S

144° 50'.07 E

978(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - NEW SOUTH WALES - Port Jackson - Blues Point - Drilling operations

Port Authority of New South Wales Notice 20/2017

Vessel *Starlight* will be conducting drilling operations in the vicinity of position 33° 51'.11 S 151° 12'.23 E, starting on 27 November.

The vessel will monitor VHF Ch 13 and 16.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 200 - Aus 202

979(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - NEW SOUTH WALES - Port Jackson - Seafourth Bluff to Longnose Point - Drilling operations completed

Former Notice - 287(T)/2017 is cancelled

Port Authority of New South Wales Notice 12/2017

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 200 - Aus 202

980(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Abbot Point - Mooring buoys

Former Notice - 18(T)/2017 is cancelled

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 441(T)/2017

Orange mooring buoys exist in positions 19° 53'.18 S 148° 06'.25 E and 19° 52'.98 S 148° 06'.16 E.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 255

981(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Bowen - Wreck charted

Former Notice - 269(T)/2014 is cancelled

Maritime Safety Queensland

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 268

982(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Great Sandy Strait - Tooth Island - Light beacon destroyed

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 442(T)/2017

The port lateral light beacon, *Fl.R.2.5s* (25° 33'.84 S 152° 55'.60 E), has been destroyed; a port lateral light buoy, *Fl.R.2.5s*, exists in situ.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 240

983(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Hay Point - Dredging operations

Maritime Safety Queensland Notices 446, 451(T)/2017

Vessel *Pacific Tiger* and support vessel *Norfolk* are conducting dredging operations in the departure channel (21° 15'.95 S 149° 20'.45 E).

Vessels will monitor VHF Ch 10 and 16 and will display appropriate lights and shapes.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 249 - Aus 250

984(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Hay Point - Light restored

Former Notice - 567(T)/2017 is cancelled
Maritime Safety Queensland

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 249 - Aus 250 - Aus 823 - Aus 4060 (INT 60) - Aus 4602 (INT 602) - Aus 4620 (INT 620) - Aus 4621 (INT 621) - Aus 4635 (INT 635)

985(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Mackay - Dredging operations

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 447, 450(T)/2017

Vessel *Pacific Tiger* and support vessel *Norfolk* are conducting dredging operations in Mackay Harbour and entrance channel.

Vessels will monitor VHF Ch 10 and 16 and will display appropriate lights and shapes.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 250

986(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Moreton Bay - Scarborough - Light beacon destroyed

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 445(T)/2017

The special purpose light beacon, *Fl.Y.2.5s No1* (27° 10'.97 S 153° 06'.15 E), has been destroyed; a special light buoy, *Fl.Y.2.5s*, exists in situ.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 236

987(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Port Douglas - Dicksons Inlet - Dredging operations

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 444(T)/2017

Dredging operations are in progress in Dicksons Inlet (16° 29'.00 S 145° 27'.55 E).

The dredge will monitor VHF Ch 12.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 270

988(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND - Townsville - Sea Channel - Light buoy off station

Maritime Safety Queensland Notice 452(T)/2017

The special light buoy, *Fl.Y.2.5s* (19° 12'.60 S 146° 51'.16 E) is off station.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 256

989(P)/2017 AUSTRALIA - CORAL SEA - Portlock Reefs - Reefs

LADS Flight

Latest survey shows uncharted reefs exist in area bounded by the following positions:

9° 33'.30 S 144° 46'.00 E
9° 33'.90 S 144° 42'.50 E
9° 36'.60 S 144° 42'.70 E
9° 37'.70 S 144° 45'.50 E.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Charts will be updated in due course.

Chart which will be affected - Aus 377

990(T)/2017 PAPUA NEW GUINEA - Batumata Point - Survey operations southeastwards

National Maritime Safety Authority PNG Notice 14(T)/2017

MV *Guru* is conducting survey operations in the vicinity of the following buoys:

Position	Remarks
10° 47'.52 S 149° 12'.79 E	special light buoy, <i>Fl(5)Y.15s</i>
10° 47'.25 S 149° 11'.82 E	subsurface mooring buoy

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 507 - Aus 4620 (INT 620) - Aus 4621 (INT 621)**991(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - NORTHERN TERRITORY - Darwin - Cullen Bay - Dredging operations**

Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics NT Notice 52(T)/2017

Dredge 14 is conducting dredging operations in Cullen Bay (12° 27'.13 S 130° 49'.12 E).A pipeline whose floating segment is marked by special light buoys, *Q.Y*, exists from the dredge out to a position in the vicinity of 12° 27'.12 S 130° 48'.62 E.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 24**992(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Broome - Drill rig northwestwards**MODU *ENSCO 5006*Drill rig *ENSCO 5006* is anchored in position 17° 45'.05 S 121° 21'.00 E.**Chart temporarily affected - Aus 324 - Aus 4722 (INT 722)****993(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Browse Island - Drill rig northwestwards moved***Former Notice - 623(T)/2017* is cancelledMODU *ENSCO 5006*

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 319 - Aus 320 - Aus 4721 (INT 721) - Aus 4722 (INT 722)**994(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Browse Island - Scientific instrument**

Australian Institute of Marine Science

A lit Autonomous Surface Vehicle is operating in an area bounded by the following positions:

14° 10'.70 S 123° 23'.72 E
14° 10'.70 S 124° 01'.07 E
13° 50'.84 S 124° 01'.07 E
13° 50'.84 S 123° 23'.72 E.

Mariners area advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 319 - Aus 320**995(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Esperance - Bandy Creek Boat Harbour - Harbour works**

Department of Transport WA Notice 121/2017

Works are in progress to upgrade the north lane of the boat ramp (33° 49'.88 S 121° 55'.95 E).

The north lane of the boat ramp will be closed during these works.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 119

996(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Perth - Survey operations northwestwards completed
Former Notice - 936(T)/2017 is cancelled
 EGS Survey Pty Ltd

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 112 - Aus 754

997(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Thevenard Island - Gas field decommissioned
Former Notice - 483(T)/2017 is cancelled
 MODU *Ocean Monarch*

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 328 - Aus 744 - Aus 4723 (INT 723) - Aus 4725 (INT 725)

998(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Port Phillip - Geelong - Barge
 Parks Victoria Notice 282(T)/2017

A barge is moored in position 38° 08'.57 S 144° 21'.76 E.

Submerged cables marked by special buoys exist between the pier and the barge.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 153

999(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Port Phillip - Station Pier - Harbour works completed
Former Notice - 439(T)/2017 is cancelled
 Victorian Ports Corporation (Melbourne) Notice 150(T)/2017

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 154

1000(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Port Welshpool - Lewis Channel - Shoaling removed
Former Notice - 563(T)/2015 is cancelled
 Gippsland Ports

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 182

1001(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - VICTORIA - Port Welshpool - Harbour works
 Gippsland Ports Notice 284(T)/2017

Works associated with the remediation of the Welshpool Pier (38° 42'.25 S 146° 27'.11 E) are in progress.

A floating boom has been established around the pier, marked at the pier end by six special light buoys, *Fl. Y.3s*.

Two barges, marked by lights, *Fl. Y.3s*, and two work boats are on site.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 182

1002(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - TASMANIA - Launceston - North Esk River - Harbour works
Marine and Safety Tasmania Notice 143/2017

Construction of a bridge is in progress in position 41° 25'.97 S 147° 07'.91 E.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area

Chart temporarily affected - Aus 168

1003(T)/2017 AUSTRALIA - TASMANIA - Okehampton Bay - Marine farm works completed
Former Notice - 676(T)/2017 is cancelled
Marine and Safety Tasmania Notice M108/2017

Cancel this notice on receipt.

Chart formerly affected - Aus 170 - Aus 766 - Aus 797

II

IV

HYDROGRAPHIC REPORTS

NIL

III

NAVIGATION WARNINGS

The Australian Hydrographic Service will no longer compile Section III of the Australian Notices to Mariners. For the most up to date navigation warnings please refer to:

AMSA Navigation Warnings

<http://amsa.gov.au/search-and-rescue/distress-and-safety-comms/msi/msi-email/index.asp>

New Zealand Notices to Mariners (Navarea XIV warnings)

<http://www.linz.govt.nz/sea/maritime-safety/notices-mariners>