

NEW ZEALAND TEMPORARY AND PRELIMINARY NOTICES IN FORCE

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An asterisk * in a temporary or preliminary notice indicates a new or revised entry.

NZ 66(T)/21 SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN - NIUE - Alofi Anchorage. Aid to Navigation

1. The following light is temporarily unlit until further notice:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Position</i>
Alofi Rear	F.R.24m5M	19°03'.210S., 169°55'.189W

2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Chart temporarily affected: NU 131

BA Light List (Volume K): 4656.1

Ministry of Infrastructure -Niue
HITS 131/4

NZ 43(P)/22 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - North Coast - Port Nelson. Dredged Areas

1. A recent survey indicates shallower depths than charted in the following dredged areas:
 - a) Outer channel 7.9m (charted 8.1m)
 - b) Inner channel 7.5m (charted 7.6m)
 - c) Brunt Quay 9.6m (charted 10.0m)
 - d) Kingsford Quay 9.3m (charted 9.5m)
2. Depths significantly shallower than the charted dredged values are to be expected. Mariners are to contact the Harbourmaster for information on the latest depths.
3. Dredging is planned for September 2022 to maintain original depths.
4. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.
5. Charting action will take place in due course.

Chart affected: NZ 6142

Port Nelson Ltd
HITS 6142/290

NZ 51(T)/22 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - East Coast - Napier. Wave buoy

1. A yellow wave buoy, *Fl.W.*3s has been deployed at 39°28'.22S., 176°53'.67E., until further notice.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Chart temporarily affected: NZ 5612

MetOcean Solutions
HITS 5612/90

NZ 67(P)/22 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - East Coast - Whangarei Harbour. Depths, Shoreline Construction and Aids to Navigation

1. A recent survey (2022) in the vicinity of the channel west of Limestone Island indicates significant changes to charted depths. The most significant changes are as follows:

	<i>Position</i>	<i>Depth</i>
(a)	35°47'.001S., 174°20'.951E.	-0.2
(b)	35°46'.970S., 174°20'.988E.	0.6
(c)	35°46'.939S., 174°21'.036E.	1.8
2. A pier in the vicinity of Whangarei Wharves has been installed with the outermost positions of: North End at 35°45'.115'S., 174°20'.954'E. and South End at 35°45'.136'S., 174°20'.959'E. Another 4 piers to the south are planned for construction.
3. Beacons in Kioreroa Reach have recently been replaced with buoys and a new numbering sequence.
4. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.
5. Charting action will take place in due course.

Charts affected: NZ 5215, NZ 5217

Northland Regional Council
HITS 5217/9, HITS 5215/184, HITS 5215/185

NZ 27(P)/23 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - North Coast - Tasman Bay / Te Tai-o-Aorere - Pepin Island to Cape Stephens. Rocks

1. A recent hydrographic survey (2022) in the vicinity of Tasman Bay / Te Tai-o-Aorere, Pepin Island to Cape Stephens has indicated changes to charted features and depths. The most significant changes are as follows:

	<i>Position</i>	<i>Depth</i>	<i>Feature</i>
(a)	41°09'.23S., 173°24'.16E.	3.5	Underwater Rock
(b)	41°08'.39S., 173°24'.70E.	-1.2	Rock, Covers and Uncovers
(c)	41°08'.51S., 173°26'.26E.	0	Rock Awash
(d)	41°04'.01S., 173°37'.53E.	7.4	Underwater Rock
(e)	41°04'.68S., 173°39'.46E.	1.7	Underwater Rock
(f)	40°43'.81S., 173°53'.66E.	6.4	Underwater Rock
(g)	40°45'.02S., 173°54'.39E.	3.1	Underwater Rock
(h)	40°44'.54S., 173°54'.57E.	1.8	Underwater Rock
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.
3. Charting action will take place in due course.

Charts affected: NZ 614, NZ 615, NZ 6142

New Zealand Hydrographic Authority
HITS 6142/300

NZ 37(T)/23 SAMOA - Upolu Island - Approaches to Apia. Buoys

1. Data collection wave buoys have been installed in the following positions until further notice:
 - a. 13°47'.43S, 171°45'.28W.
 - b. 13°48'.72S, 171°45'.23W.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Charts temporarily affected: WS 311, WS 312

Ministry of Works, Transport & Infrastructure - Samoa
HITS 311/1

NZ 42(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - Chatham Islands - Point Weeding. Aid to Navigation

1. The following light is temporarily unlit until further notice:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Position</i>
Point Weeding	Fl.5s60m7M	43°56'.60S., 176°34'.31W.

2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Charts temporarily affected: NZ 268, NZ 2683, NZ 2685

NZ Light List: 4543

Environment Canterbury
HITS 2685/10

NZ 52(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - West Coast - Port Taranaki. Lit buoy

1. Mariners are advised that the yellow lit buoy *Fl(3)Y.10s7M* has been temporarily moved to 39°02'.119S., 174°01'.765E, approximately 275 metres WSW of its charted position.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Chart temporarily affected: NZ 4432

Port Taranaki Ltd.
HITS 4432/179

NZ 53(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - East Coast - Bay of Islands - Te Rāwhiti Inlet. Te Rāwhiti Caulerpa Controlled Area

1. Mariners are advised that from June 2023, the Te Rāwhiti Caulerpa Controlled Area is established.
2. Under the Controlled Area Notice (CAN), it is illegal to remove any marine life including fish, shellfish, koura (crayfish) or seaweed from the zone. This means any form of fishing is banned. This includes spearfishing, crayfishing, kina and other shellfish gathering, net fishing and drift fishing from any kind of vessel.
3. No anchoring is allowed in the controlled area other than a very few permitted activities such as for scientific research or where residents are reliant on a vessel for regular transport. Permits from Biosecurity New Zealand will be needed for this. Anchoring in an emergency, e.g. to shelter from weather, is allowed without a permit.
4. The Te Rāwhiti Zone covers the areas contained within the marine waters of Te Rāwhiti, Bay of Islands, up to and including the high-tide mark, within the area bounded by:
 - a.) 35°14.73'S., 174°11.88'E. (Shoreline)
 - b.) 35°13.65'S., 174°13.20'E.
 - c.) 35°13.83'S., 174°13.69'E.
 - d.) 35°13.72'S., 174°14.55'E.
 - e.) 35°14.08'S., 174°14.78'E. (Shoreline)
5. For full restrictions and prohibited activities in this area, mariners are advised to refer to the Te Rāwhiti Caulerpa Controlled Area Notice 2023:
<https://www.mpi.govt.nz/biosecurity/exotic-pests-and-diseases-in-new-zealand/pests-and-diseases-under-response/exotic-caulerpa-seaweeds-at-great-barrier-great-mercury-kawau-island-and-bay-of-islands-te-rawhiti-inlet/>

Charts temporarily affected: NZ 512, NZ 5125

Northland Regional Council
HITS 5125/50

NZ 56(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - East Coast - Otago Harbour - Upper Harbour. Aid to Navigation

1. Lit beacon No. 70, Fl(3)R.6s, in position 45°52'.613S., 170°31'.275E, has been temporarily removed until further notice.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Chart temporarily affected: NZ 6612

NZ Light List: 4374.98

Port Otago Ltd
HITS 6612/347

NZ 59(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - West Coast - Greymouth Harbour. Depths

1. Former notice - NZ 54(T)/23 is cancelled.
2. A recent survey (12 August 2023) indicates the following least depths below CD on the bar at the Grey River/Māwheranui entrance:

<i>Position</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Depth</i>
42° 26'.395S., 171° 11'.514E.	North Lead	3.2m
42° 26'.384S., 171° 11'.468E.	Main Lead	3.7m
42° 26'.2972., 171° 11'.456E	South Lead	3.4m

3. Mariners should be aware that depths in Greymouth Harbour entrance are constantly changing and should contact the Port of Greymouth for the latest conditions on (03) 768 5666 or Greymouth Harbour Radio Ch14.

Chart temporarily affected: NZ 7142

Port of Greymouth
HITS 7142/99

NZ 61(P)/23 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - East Coast - Port of Lyttleton. Demolition works

1. Until further notice, demolition work to remove No.4, No.5 and No.6 jetties is underway.
2. An exclusion zone has been established bounded by the following positions:
 - a. 43°36'.281S., 172°43'.198E. (shoreline)
 - b. 43°36'.380S., 172°43'.090E.
 - c. 43°36'.290S., 172°43'.010E.
 - d. 43°36'.248S., 172°43'.035E. (shoreline)
3. No vessel is permitted to enter the exclusion zone without consent, and mariners are requested to keep clear of the area, and exercise caution when accessing adjacent jetties.
4. All vessels will maintain a listening watch on Lyttelton Harbour Radio VHF channel 12.
5. Charting action will take place in due course.

Chart affected: NZ 6321

Southern Hydrographic Ltd.
HITS 6321/304

NZ 62(T)/23 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - East Coast - Waiheke Island -Spray Rock. Danger Buoy

1. The Spray Rock isolated danger buoy Fl(2)5s2M in position 36° 45'.43S., 175° 08'.06E., has been reported as missing.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Charts temporarily affected: NZ 53, NZ 532, NZ 533, NZ 5324

Auckland Transport
HITS 5324/127

NZ 79(P)/23 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - North Coast - Blind Channel Entrance. Shoaling

1. Shoaling has been reported in the entrance to Blind Channel. Latest survey information indicates movement of shoaling approximately 200m to the NE of the channel entrance.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution and utilize navigational aids when navigating in the area.
3. Strong currents flow in the channels and the 'Cut'. This area is especially hazardous in wind over tide conditions (Spring Ebb (outgoing) tide with a Northerly wind).
4. Charting action will take place in due course.

Chart affected: NZ6142

Nelson City Council
HITS 6142/309

NZ 26(T)/24 NEW ZEALAND - South Island - North Coast - Tory Channel / Kura Te Au Entrance, Northeastwards. Wave Buoy

1. A lit wave buoy, Fl(5)Y.20s has been deployed in position 41°12'.20S., 174°20'.93E., until further notice.
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.

Chart temporarily affected: NZ 6154

Marlborough District Council
HITS 6154/100

NZ 28(P)/24 NEW ZEALAND - North Island - East Coast - Napier Harbour. Aids to Navigation

1. Mariners are advised of changes to current charted aids to navigation. The most significant changes are to the light sector arcs:
- | <i>Int. K No.</i> | <i>Name</i> | <i>Description</i> | <i>Sectors</i> | <i>Position</i> |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| 3982.5 | Approach Dir Lt 183° | DirWRG.7m11M | Iso G 179°-180° (1°)
Oc G 180°-181° (1°)
F G 181°-182° (1°)
F W 182°-184° (2°)
F R 184°-186° (2°)
Oc R 186°-188° (2°)
Iso R 188°-189° (1°) | 39° 28'.674S., 176° 54'.532E. |
| 3983.15 | Inner Directional Light Dir Lt | DirWRG.28m11M | Oc G 107°-108° (1°)
F G 108°-110° (2°)
Oc W 110°-111° (1°)
F W 111°-113° (2°)
Oc W 113°-114° (1°)
F R 114°-116° (2°)
Oc R 116°-117° (1°) | 39° 28'.427S., 176° 55'.327E. |
2. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating in the area.
3. Charting action will take place in due course.

Charts affected: NZ 5612, NZ 561

NZ Light List: 3982.5, 3983.15

Port of Napier Ltd.
HITS 5612/141