

POOLE HARBOUR COMMISSIONERS LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS POOLE HARBOUR

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REPORTING PROCEDURED FOR PASSENGER BOAT OPERATIONS

Passenger boats exempt from compulsory pilotage:

There are currently no reporting requirements for passenger boats operating within the harbour ie not going beyond the sandbanks Ferry. However during fog routine all vessels should report to Harbour Control prior to sailing.

If these passenger boats are intending to exit the harbour then they should report:

- Prior to leaving their berth (and indicating their next berth and intended route).
- At North Hook buoy (via the East looe Channel) Outbound and inbound.
- At Bar buoy (via Swash Channel) Outbound and inbound.
- Secure on their berth.

Passenger boats subject to compulsory pilotage:

These vessels are expected to comply with the reporting requirements of all vessels subject to compulsory pilotage, as detailed in the latest revision of the Pilotage Manual:

Reporting Points

The following reporting points apply to all vessels 25m LOA or more transiting the Harbour or approaches. Reports should be made to Poole Harbour Control on VHF Channel 14.

Inbound: Bar Buoy - No8 Channel Buoy - Aunt Betty - Stakes Buoy - Berth (All fast)

Outbound: Berth (underway) - Stakes Buoy - Aunt Betty - Bar Buoy

These are in addition to the normal pre arrival and pre departure requests.

Mariners are reminded that Radar, AIS, CCTV, telephone and VHF channels are recorded.



<u>Captain B P Murphy</u> Harbour Master

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