



NOTICE TO MARINERS

The following Notice to Mariners is published for General Information

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SUBJECT: RAK PORTS MARINE DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION

Mariners, ship owners, operators, agents and other interested parties are informed that marine publications, notifications, forms, tidal and other information relevant to navigation and marine operations within RAK Ports are being regularly posted on our website under section "Marine". Please visit: <http://www.rakports.ae/marine.php>

The following documents are currently available for viewing and/or download:

- **Marine Guidelines:** The aim of the 'Marine Guidelines' is to promote good practice in the conduct of safe marine operations.
- **Ruling Depth & Under Keel Clearances:** The 'Ruling Depth & Under Keel Clearances' are intended to provide basic guidance on determination of ship's minimum under keel clearance (UKC) within RAK Ports and Stevin Rock Harbour with restricted available depth of water.
- **General Port Marine Information:** The 'General Port Marine Information' aims to provide information for Masters of seagoing vessels, shipping lines, publishers of nautical information and any other party that needs nautical information.
- **Marine Emergency Response Plan:** 'RAK Ports Marine Emergency Response Plan' is the contingency plan developed to deal with marine related emergencies.
- **Emergency Contact Directory:** This document provides lines of communication for effective handling of marine based emergencies within RAK Ports.
- **Tide Table:** 'Tide Table' provides times and heights of high and low waters within RAK Ports.
- **Notices to Mariners/Marine Safety Notices** provide essential information that covers permanent or short-term advices on navigation and/or marine safety.
- **Marine Forms:** All relevant marine forms for vessel pre-arrival notification and incident reporting (MRF) are accessible at our website.
- In addition, all relevant information on trainings offered by **RAK Ports Marine Institute** are also made available under section "Marine Institute".

Mariners and all concerned parties are advised to contact RAK Ports by email at: info@rakports.ae should they have any information relating to navigational safety. Urgent and immediate information relating to the Harbour should be passed via relevant Port Control VHF radio channels or telephone.

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