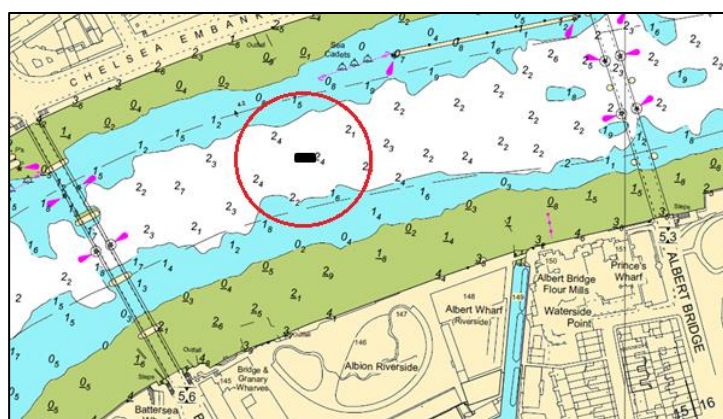


NOTICE TO MARINERS M79 of 2017

BATTERSEA REACH FIREWORKS DISPLAYS AND LOCAL TRAFFIC CONTROL

On Friday 15th September 2017 there will be fireworks displays from barges positioned mid-stream 150 metres below Battersea Bridge. The display will commence at 20:45 and delays to navigation of up to 10 minutes may be expected.



— Denotes exclusion zone

Local Traffic Control will be indicated by two Harbour Service Launches displaying flashing blue lights, one stationed upstream of Battersea Bridge and one downstream of Albert Bridge.

All vessels on the river in this area are to navigate with caution and are to maintain a continuous watch on VHF Channel 14, following instructions from the attending Harbour Service Launches exhibiting flashing blue lights; call sign prefix 'THAMES PATROL'.

Owners and operators are reminded that no manned vessels other than emergency service vessels responding to an incident and vessels engaged in fireworks operations are permitted within the controlled area.

Further details will be promulgated by **London VTS** on VHF Channel 14 during routine river broadcasts.

25 August 2017

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BOB BAKER
CHIEF HARBOUR MASTER



EXPIRY DATE: 18th September 2017
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