

## **NOTICE TO MARINERS No 05 - 2019**

## Cromarty Firth - Invergordon Service Base Phase 4 Extension

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- MARINERS ARE HEREBY ADVISED that major civil construction work and associated dredging operations will start at Invergordon Service base on or around 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019 and continue until April 2020. The works involve the extension of the existing Berth 5 over a length of 218m and reclamation of approximately 9 acres behind the new berth.
- The works will take place within the area bounded by joining the points:

57° 41.16 N 004° 11.13 W

57° 41.18 N 004° 10.98 W

57° 41.05 N 004° 11.10 W

57° 41.06 N 004° 10.93 W

- Specialised construction and support vessels will be operating in this area and may be restricted in their ability to manoeuvre or constrained by their draft.
- Dredging will take place within the same area and the dredger will use the main navigation channel of the Cromarty Firth to travel to and from the licensed disposal site situated between the North and South Sutors at 57°40.9N, 003°59.5W. The dredger will monitor VHF channels 11 and 16 at all times.
- Mariners are required to navigate with caution in the vicinity of the works. Further information can be requested from Cromarty Firth Port Radio on VHF CH 11 or on 01349 852308.

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