

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. 28 – 2023

RIVER MEDWAY – MEDWAY APPROACH CHANNEL

SS RICHARD MONTGOMERY WRECK SURVEY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Clinton Marine Survey AB will be undertaking, on behalf of the MCA and Receiver of Wrecks, a detailed sonar survey of the SS Richard Montgomery wreck and have obtained permission to enter the prohibited area.

Marine operations will be running from around **Monday 21st August 2023** with expected completion by **Friday 25th August 2023**. All survey work will be carried out by the Northern Wind (callsign 2IOX2; MMSI 235111562; fitted with AIS Class A) who will be keeping a listening watch on VHF Channels 16 & 74.



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'Northern Wind' will undertake a detailed survey of the entire wreck and the immediate adjacent seabed within the area defined as a polygon bounded by the following coordinates:

51° 27.93595'N	0° 47.04126'E
51° 28.04993'N	0° 47.05080'E
51° 28.04993'N	0° 47.14794'E
51° 27.93595'N	0° 47.13882'E

Please be advised that during survey operations the vessel will be restricted in its ability to manoeuvre, and other vessels are requested to pass with caution and minimise their wash. During survey operations the vessel will display the appropriate day shapes/signals and lights as required by the IRPCS.

Admiralty Chart No. 3683 refers.

Further information may be obtained from Medway VTS on VHF Channel 74, call sign "Medway VTS" or telephone 0151 949 6148.

**Marine Operations Department
Peel Ports London Medway**

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