

NOTICE TO MARINERS

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PORT OF LIVERPOOL

TEMPORARY REPLACEMENT OF BAR LIGHT FLOAT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on or around 20 August 2018, the BAR light float will be replaced temporarily by a high focal plane buoy. This temporary replacement of aids to navigation is for maintenance purposes.

The characteristics of the BAR high focal plane buoy will be:

Position: 53° 32' 01"N 003° 20' 59"W

Description: 6m red pillar on 4m diameter base

Light: 0.2 second white flash every 5 seconds
6m above the water line
Nominal range of 9 nautical miles

Racon: Morse "T"
Display Period: On 20 seconds, off 40 seconds
Nominal Range: 10 nautical miles

It is intended that the exchange of these aids to navigation will be undertaken on the same day. However, if this is not possible, Mersey VTS will issue a local navigation warning advising that the light float is off station and that vessels must remain clear of its charted location until the high focal plane buoy is on station.