NOTICE TO MARINERS

No 04/19

RECOMMENDED CHANNELS

The attention of Skippers, Masters and Officers of all vessels is drawn to Rule 9 of the International Regulations for The Prevention of Collisions at Sea 1972, as amended, which relates to Narrow Channels and Rule 8 (f) which relates to vessels which have duty not to impede other vessels.

The Recommended Channels within the River and Firth of Clyde are:-

- Firth of Clyde Channel
- Hunterston Channel
- Skelmorlie Channel
- Loch Long
- Kilcreggan
- Ardmore Channel
- River Channel
- Kyles of Bute


Vessels navigating within these channels should be considered to be in Narrow Channels within the meaning of the Collision Regulations.