

NOTICE TO MARINERS



NtoM 31 - 2025

The Swale – Ridham Dock East Quay Repair Works – Phase 2

Notice is hereby given that Phase 2 of the quay refurbishment work on Ridham Dock East Quay is due to commence on or around 4th August 2025. The programme of works will be carried out under MMO licence L/2024/00123/1 and river works license (RWL) issue by Peel Ports.

The contractor, Southbay Marine, will be carrying out the following work with completion currently expected by the end of July 2026.

- Concrete repair works to the mass gravity concrete wall, the reinforced concrete framed deck and rectangular reinforced concrete piles (forming the berth frontage).
- Stability works to limit further movement of the gravity wall for the next ~140m of wall.
- Installation of permanent stockpile height visual aid poles to ensure the height of the stockpile is not exceeded, this is to prevent overloading of the existing gravity wall and the new sheet pile wall.
- The installation of one piled reinforced concrete slab to support future stockpiles up to 7.0 m in height.

Whilst quay works are ongoing, a safety boat will be stationed in the dock, no other craft will be required to be on site. Commercial vessel arrivals and departures should not be affected, contractors will be in regular contact with the terminal to ascertain vessel traffic movements and cease operations during port calls. It is envisaged that pilot and linesmen access/egress and safe mooring of vessels will not be compromised.

Further information may be obtained from Medway VTS on VHF Channel 74, call sign “Medway VTS” or telephone 0151 949 6148 or 0151 949 6650. **(Recorded Lines)**

**Marine Operations Department
Peel Ports London Medway**

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