

MARITIME ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. 62 (2020) Guyana

DEMERARA RIVER

The Maritime Administration Department hereby notifies all vessels traversing to the Upper Demerara River, that the **Guyana Telephone & Telegraph Company (GT&T)** will undertake submarine cable repair activities across the Demerara River.

This operation which will be conducted in the Upper Demerara River in the vicinity of Vriesland and Craig and would commence on **September 20, 2020** and conclude on **September 21, 2020**, and will incorporate the use of the undermentioned vessels.

- *M/T MINDY LYNN*
- *D/B GAICO MARINE*

The submarine cable is laid along the route provided in the following coordinates:

| Location | Latitude (N) | Longitude (W) | Remarks |
|------------|----------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Vriesland | 06°41'.139 | 58°11'.543 | WGS 84 (Zone 21) |
| Craig | 06°41'.228 | 58°11'.114 | WGS 84 (Zone 21) |
| | Active Work Position | | |
| Mid-stream | 06°41'.186 | 58°11'.388 | WGS 84 (Zone 21) |

During this period, this spud barge (fitted with necessary day signals and navigational lights) would be working along this defined route. As such, **ALL** mariners are required to communicate on VHF Ch.16 or via Georgetown Lighthouse if required to transit the area, and to navigate with caution when in the vicinity of these vessels.

M Tennant
Harbour Master (Ag)

September 18, 2020