

MARITIME ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. 088 (2020) Guyana

UPPER DEMERARA RIVER

The Maritime Administration Department hereby notifies all vessels calling Port Georgetown especially those travelling to the upper Demerara River that the Guyana Telephone & Telegraph Co Ltd (**GT&T**) will commence a submarine cable burial and pile driving activities for the installation of Day Markers in the vicinity of Hermitage (***West Bank***) to Friendship (***East Bank***) Demerara River.

This operation will commence on **December 21, 2020** and conclude on **December 22, 2020**, and will incorporate the use of the undermentioned vessels.

- ***RONALDO***
- ***EHOTRACE***
- ***D/B JAVIESH***

The Day markers would be installed in the following coordinates:

No.	Location	Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)	Remarks
1	Hermitage (Front Pile)	06°38'.931	58°12'.334	WGS 84 (Zone 21)
2	Hermitage (Rear Pile)	06°38'.887	58°12'.233	WGS 84 (Zone 21)

During this period, the spud barge (fitted with necessary day signals and navigational lights) would be moving along this defined route.

As such, **ALL** mariners are required to communicate with VHF Ch.16 or via Georgetown Lighthouse, if required to transit the area and to navigate with caution when in this area.

Communication can be made on via the Georgetown Lighthouse.

G Archer
Harbour Master (Ag)
For Director General

December 18, 2020