

## LNTM No 76/18

## VISIT OF A NUCLEAR POWERED WARSHIP 6-10 OCTOBER 2018

1.\_\_\_**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** by the Queen's Harbour Master Portsmouth that a Nuclear Powered Warship will visit the Solent from the 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

2. Timings for arrival and departure will be promulgated by the usual Shipping Movements programme on the QHM Website.

3. Mariners are advised that the Nuclear Powered Warship while on passage between the Nab Tower and its berth at "C" Anchorage (50 46.1N 001 10.7W) is considered "a vessel constrained by her draught" as defined under the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea. The vessel will be escorted by tugs and MOD Police patrol vessels. Vessels are to avoid taking any action that will impede her safe passage. **General Direction 02/13** (Dormant Exclusion Zone – 250 metres radius) will be in force for this vessel during her transit through the Dockyard Port of Portsmouth.

4. In accordance with paragraph 1d of **General Direction 02/18** (Keep Clear of Warship Alongside or at Anchor), for this vessel, a 150 metres exclusion zone is designated while she is at anchor in the Solent.

5. Police craft will be in attendance with the vessel to enforce the requirements of this Local Notice to Mariners. They will be clearly identifiable and will be acting on the authority of the Queen's Harbour Master. All vessels are to comply with their instructions.

6. Cancel this Local Notice to Mariners on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

Friday 05 Oct 2018

S O Hopper Queen's Harbour Master

Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Sailing Organisations should ensure that the contents of this Notice are made known to the masters or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.