Notice to Mariners

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OPERATING COMMERCIAL VESSELS and or WATER TAXI OR PASSENGER VESSELS

All vessels carrying Passengers for a charge (water Taxi) within the jurisdiction of Newport harbour are requested to complete a Passenger Vessels, Harbour Water Taxi operating form (Annex 23), the requested prerequisite are: -

- The vessel holds a current licence for that vessel granted by the appropriate local authority or issued by the appropriate national authority (e.g., Maritime and Coastguard Agency), to undertake it tasks.
- The vessel holds current appropriate insurance.
- The persons driving/operating the vessel holds the appropriate qualifications/ knowledge as layout in the vessels licence

Any Operating water Taxi or other Passenger Vessels will be requested to cease operating within the Newport's harbour Jurisdiction without meeting this prerequisite.

Application forms available by contacting the Senior Harbour Master at <u>Newport.harbour@iow.gov.uk</u>

As laid out in Newport harbours General direction 3.4 & 3.5

Jonathan Brand – Senior Harbour Master

