

Local Notice to mariners

Geotechnical Drilling Survey - Darwin Ship lift Project

To Darwin Port Users	Location Darwin Harbour
Date 24 November 2021	Ref number NtM 2021 / 087 (T)

Notification

The Jack-up barge 'Sea Lift 2' will commence a Geotechnical Drilling Survey for the Darwin Ship-lift project, moving onto location on Saturday 27 November 2021, and expected to commence drilling immediately.

The Jack-up barge will take approximately two days drilling per hole, and relocate between sites by use of a support vessel, which will maintain listening watch on VHF CH 10 / 16 , and can be contacted on 0403 188 688.

The Jack-up barge will also maintain listening watch on VHF Channels and can additionally be contacted on 0418 584 573 from 27 November until 03 December, and on 0457 034 676 from 03 December until completion of the survey.

The Survey is expected to be completed by mid-January, with a two-week closure during the Christmas break.

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution when transiting the survey area and remain well clear of the Jack-up Barge and support vessel.

Capt Anil Chadha

Regional Harbourmaster

Latitude and Longitude co-ordinates of the drill hole sites

