

NOTICE TO MARINERS M7 of 2021

BATTERSEA REACH BATTERSEA ROAD BRIDGE ARCH CLOSURES

This Notice to Mariners supersedes and replaces M61 of 2020.

Contractors working on behalf of Transport for London will be conducting abseiling operations to fix new navigational lights on Battersea Road Bridge from **Thursday 18th February 2021** until **Wednesday 10th March 2021**. In order to accommodate these works, arches on Battersea Road Bridge will be closed to navigation as follows:

Arch	Works Start		Works End		Navigational Information
	Date	Time	Date	Time	
3	Thursday 18 th February 2021	22:00	Friday 19 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Friday 19 th February 2021	22:00	Saturday 20 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Saturday 20 th February 2021	22:00	Sunday 21 st February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Sunday 21 st February 2021	22:00	Monday 22 nd February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Monday 22 nd February 2021	22:00	Tuesday 23 rd February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Tuesday 23 rd February 2021	22:00	Wednesday 24 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Wednesday 24 th February 2021	22:00	Thursday 25 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Thursday 25 th February 2021	22:00	Friday 26 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Friday 26 th February 2021	22:00	Saturday 27 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Saturday 27 th February 2021	22:00	Sunday 28 th February 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Sunday 28 th February 2021	22:00	Monday 1 st March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Monday 1 st March 2021	22:00	Tuesday 2 nd March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Tuesday 2 nd March 2021	22:00	Wednesday 3 rd March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
2	Wednesday 3 rd March 2021	22:00	Thursday 4 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation

2	Thursday 4 th March 2021	22:00	Friday 5 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation
3	Friday 5 th March 2021	22:00	Saturday 6 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Saturday 6 th March 2021	22:00	Sunday 7 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Sunday 7 th March 2021	22:00	Monday 8 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Monday 8 th March 2021	22:00	Tuesday 9 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
3	Tuesday 9 th March 2021	22:00	Wednesday 10 th March 2021	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control

Local Traffic Control will be undertaken from a PLA Harbour Service Launch in the vicinity of Battersea Road Bridge for the duration of the closure in Arch No. 3. All vessels intending to navigate between Battersea Rail Bridge and Chelsea Bridge are to call '**BATTERSEA CONTROL**' on VHF Channel 14 as follows:

- Outbound at Battersea Rail Bridge
- Inbound Chelsea Bridge
- Prior to leaving a berth or mooring between Battersea Rail Bridge and Chelsea Bridge.

Safety Boat **NATO 2** will be in attendance throughout these operations and will be maintaining a listening watch to VHF Channel 14.

Arches closed to navigation will be marked in accordance with the Port of London Authority Thames Byelaws 2012 namely:

- By day, three red discs 0.6 metres in diameter at the points of an equilateral triangle with the apex downwards and the base horizontal
- By night, three red lights in similar positions to the discs displayed by day.

Further details will be broadcast by **London VTS** on VHF Channel 14.

**2nd February
2021**

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**Darren Knight
Deputy Harbour Master**



EXPIRY DATE: 12th March 2021
TO RECEIVE FUTURE NOTICES TO MARINERS BY **E-MAIL**,
PLEASE REGISTER VIA OUR WEBSITE www.pla.co.uk
**Telephone calls, VHF radio traffic, CCTV and radar traffic images may
be recorded in the VTS Centres at Gravesend and Woolwich**
All Current Notices to Mariners can be found here -
<http://www.pla.co.uk/Safety/Regulations-and-Guidance/Notices-to-Mariners/Notices-to-Mariners>

