

NOTICE TO MARINERS M40 of 2022
UPPER POOL TO CHELSEA REACH
DOGGETT'S COAT & BADGE WAGER RIVER
CLOSURE

Mariners are advised that on **Tuesday 19th July 2022** the 2022 Doggett's Coat and Badge Wager will take place between London Bridge and Albert Bridge. It is expected that up to six single sculls will take part in the race.

In order to support this event, the river will be **Closed to Navigation between Tower Bridge and Battersea Road Bridge from 14:15 until the completion of the race**. The race will commence at 14:30 and is expected to conclude by 15:10.

The river closure will be indicated by Harbour Service Launches, Call Sign prefix "Thames Patrol", stationed above and below the course, displaying flashing blue lights.

Non-participating vessels will not be permitted to navigate within the closure area for the duration of the race. Once the race are underway, the river will be progressively reopened to traffic behind the participating sculls and following boats, as directed by the attending Harbour Service Launch.

The race will be controlled by an Umpires' launch and attending safety RIBs. It is expected that at least three passenger vessels and a press launch will follow the race.

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

17th June 2022

Port of London Authority
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DARREN JA KNIGHT
DEPUTY HARBOUR MASTER

EXPIRY DATE: 20th July 2022

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