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MARINE BOARD (CONTROL OVER MARITIME TRAFFIC) (NO. 4) NOTICE 2016

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The Minister responsible for marine and ports, in exercise of the power conferred by section 10(1)(a) and (b) of the Marine Board Act 1962, issues the following Notice:

Citation

1 This Notice may be cited as the Marine Board (Control Over Maritime Traffic) (No. 4) Notice 2016.

Round-the-Island Boat Race

The Round-the-Island Boat Race (the "Race") will take place on Sunday 7 August 2016 from $2:00~\rm p.m.$ to $3:30~\rm p.m.$

Course for Race

The course of the Race will be from Ferry Reach along the North Shore to Hog Fish Beacon; to Two Rock Passage and into Hamilton Harbour; around White's Island and through Salt Kettle Bay into Granaway Deep; around Five Star Island and through the Little Sound into the Great Sound to Commissioner's Point; around Daniel's Head and then along the South Shore to St. David's Head; around St. Catherine's Point and past the Oil Docks on the North Shore, before re-entering Ferry Reach to finish.

Closure of certain sea passages

On the day of the Race, the following sea passages will be closed to normal marine traffic at the following times—

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	<u>Sea passages</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
(a)	the passage between the pylons at the entrance to Ferry Reach:	1:25p.m.	3:30 p.m. or until opened by Marine Police
(b)	the passage between Hinson's Island and the Paget shoreline:	1:45 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
(c)	the passage between Five Star Island and the Southampton mainland:	1:45 p.m.	3:00 p.m.

Patrol of Course

- 5 (1) The course will be patrolled by Marine Police and Marshall Boats.
- (2) For the duration of the Race, all mariners, pilots and boatmen are required to exercise extreme caution when navigating in the vicinity of the Race course, particularly in the vicinity of Ferry Reach, Two Rock Passage and White's Island in Hamilton Harbour.

Speed Limits not to apply

The speed limits fixed by the Marine Board (Declaration of Speed Limits for Boats) (Mariners) Notice 2001 do not apply to boats participating in the Race.

Postponement of Race

7 In the event of inclement weather, the race will take place on either Sunday 14, 21 or 28 August 2016 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., and the provisions of this Notice shall apply in all respects to the Race held on such date.

Made this 20th day of July 2016

Acting Minister of Tourism, Transport and Municipalities