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Mariners are requested to inform the Hydrographic Department, Naval Headquarters, 11 Liaquat Barracks, Karachi, Pakistan, immediately on the discovery of new dangers, or suspected dangers to navigation and of changes or defects in aids to navigation noticed in NAVAREA IX and of shortcomings in PAK charts or publications.

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PART – I
NOTICES TO MARINERS

112/21 PAKISTAN - Note. Marine Reserve. Legend.

Chart PAK 33 [*previous update 141/20*] WGS84 DATUM





Insert	the accompanying note, ASTOLA ISLAND MARINE PROTECTED AREA, centred on:	25° 47′.0N., 65° 00′.0E
	limit of marine reserve,  MR  , joining:	(a) 25° 12′.8N., 63° 44′.9E (b) 25° 12′.8N., 63° 56′.8E. (c) 25° 01′.9N., 63° 56′.8E. (d) 25° 01′.9N., 63° 44′.9E.
	legend, <i>Astola Island Marine Protected Area</i> (see Note), close E of:	(a)-(d) above

Chart PAK 58 [*previous update 141/20*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	the accompanying note, ASTOLA ISLAND MARINE PROTECTED AREA, centred on:	outside N border at longitude 65° 30′.0E
	limit of marine reserve,  MR  , joining:	(a) 25° 12′.8N., 63° 44′.9E (b) 25° 12′.8N., 63° 56′.8E. (c) 25° 01′.9N., 63° 56′.8E. (d) 25° 01′.9N., 63° 44′.9E.
	legend, <i>Astola Island Marine Protected Area</i> (see Note), close E of:	(a)-(d) above

Source: Govt. of Balochistan Gazette notification dated 15 June 2017

113/21 JORDAN - Pilot boarding places. Note.

BA Chart 801 (INT 7143) (Panel D, Royal Jordanian Naval Base) [*previous update 1657/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	 <i>Navy Jetty Inner</i>	29° 23′.60N., 34° 57′.70E.
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BA Chart 801 (INT 7143) (Panel E, Al 'Aqabah Industrial Port and Aqaba New Port) [*previous update 1657/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	 <i>Navy Jetty Outer</i>	29° 22′.93N., 34° 56′.70E.
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	<i>JFI, Oil & LNG Terminals</i>	(a) 29° 21′.70N., 34° 56′.60E.
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Delete	 <i>JFI Terminal, close S of:</i>	(a) above
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BA Chart 801 (INT 7143) (Panel A, Approaches to Eilat and Al 'Aqabah) [*previous update 1657/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	the accompanying note, VESSEL REPORTING, centred on:	29° 50′.51N., 35° 04′.30E.
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	<i>Navy Jetty Inner</i>	29° 23′.60N., 34° 57′.70E.
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	<i>Navy Jetty Outer</i>	29° 22′.90N., 34° 56′.70E.
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	<i>JFI, Oil & LNG Terminals</i>	(a) 29° 21′.70N., 34° 56′.60E.
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Delete	 <i>JFI Terminal, close S of:</i>	(a) above
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Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 3894*/2021.

114/21 KUWAIT - Obstruction.

BA Chart 3773 [*previous update 1008/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	 <i>Obstn</i>	28° 51′.83N., 48° 17′.70E.
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Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 3921/2021.

115/21 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Depth.

BA Chart 3709 [*previous update 3128/20*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	depth, 8 ₃ , enclosed by 10m contour	25° 15′.28N., 56° 22′.35E.
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BA Chart 3723 [*previous update 3568/20*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	depth, 8 ₃ , enclosed by 10m contour	25° 15′.28N., 56° 22′.35E.
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Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 3951/2021.

116*/21 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Depths.

BA Chart 3752 (Panel B, Khalifa Port) [*previous update 3460/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	depth, 9 ₉ , enclosed by 10m contour	24° 51′.87N., 54° 38′.85E.
	depth, 7 ₆	(a) 24° 51′.18N., 54° 39′.94E.
Delete	depth, 9 ₆ , close NW of:	(a) above

BA Chart 3752 (Panel A, Approaches to Khalifa Port) [*previous update 3460/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert	depth, 9 ₉ , enclosed by 10m contour	24° 51′.87N., 54° 38′.85E.
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Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 3971*/2021.

117*/21 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Marine farm.

BA Chart 3779 [*previous update 892/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert		24° 18′.19N., 52° 39′.65E.
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BA Chart 3780 [*previous update 2877/21*] WGS84 DATUM

Insert		24° 18′.19N., 52° 39′.64E.
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Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 4000*/2021.

118(T)/21 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES - Buoy.

1. A special purpose yellow data buoy, *Fl(3)Y.10s* has been established, until 30th November 2021 in position 25° 58′.59N., 55° 41′.24E.
2. Mariners are advised to navigate with caution in the area.
(WGS84 DATUM)

BA Charts affected - 2837 (INT 7017) - 2887 (INT 7232) - 2888 (INT 7199) - 3174 (INT 7209)

Source: Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 4008(T)/2021.

PART – II
RADIO NAVIGATIONAL WARNINGS

352/21. ARABIAN SEA. Pakistan. Charts PAK 33, 57 (INT 751), BA 38 and 707. Unattended/ unmanned barge A/M Atulya (91x24 meters) reported in position 24 48N 066 06E 40 NM west of Karachi at 02 Oct 1800 hrs. Mariners cautioned.

353/21. ARABIAN SEA. Pakistan. Charts PAK 33, 57 (INT 751), BA 38 and 707. New update of unattended barge A/M Atulya (91x24 meters) is reported in position 24 26N 066 12E 35 NM south west of Cape Monze. Mariners cautioned. Cancel Navarea IX warning 352 of 21.

354/21. SOUTHERN GULF. UAE. Charts BA 2837, 2858 and 2889. Seismic survey in progress till 10 Oct 2021 in area bounded by:

Crew 252 And 253 Area:

Receiver Boundary

25-14.25N 053-47.69E

25-14.05N 053-57.01E

25-00.45N 053-56.60E

25-00.65N 053-50.50E

24-58.04N 053-50.44E

24-58.11N 053-47.38E

Source Boundary

25-17.42N 053-48.38E

25-17.25N 053-56.22E

24-57.28N 053-55.73E

24-57.32N 053-54.02E

24-54.70N 053-53.95E

24-54.75N 053-51.41E

24-57.39N 053-51.46E

24-57.40N 053-50.42E

24-58.04N 053-50.40E

24-58.09N 053-47.93E

Mariners are advised to navigate with caution and to maintain a listening watch on channels 16/72. Cancel this message on 102359 UTC Oct 21.

355/21. SELF CANCELLING. Cancel Navarea IX warning 387 of 2020. Warning printed in Pakistan Notice to Mariners Weekly Edition 01 (Part-I) of 2021.

- 356/21. **SELF CANCELLING.** Arabian Sea. Pakistan. Towing operation of 'A/M Atulya' in progress by tug 'A/M Adway' from 24-36.52N 066-46.76E (15.5 NM from Manora Light House) to Mumbai. Mariners cautioned. Cancel Navarea IX Warning 353 of 2021.
- 357/21. **SELF CANCELLING.** Cancel Navarea IX warning 345 of 2021.
- 358/21. **PAKISTAN.** Approaches to Karachi. Charts PAK 5 (INT 7314), 33, 57 (INT 751), BA 58 and 707. Submarine cable laying operation will be conducted by vessel 'Seaquest' and support barge/tug between 24-46.86N 067-03.12E to 24-35.67N 066-58.23E from 07 Oct 2021 till completion. Mariners are requested to navigate with caution in the area, keep clear 500 meters exclusion zone from the cable laying vessel at all times and maintain a listening watch on VHF channel 16.
- 359/21. **PAKISTAN.** Approaches to Karachi. Charts PAK 5 (INT 7314), 33, 57 (INT 751), BA 58 and 707. Submarine cable laying operation in progress by CS Niwa (IMO 8819029) on following route till completion:

24-35.67N 066-58.23E
 24-35.28N 066-57.49E
 24-35.09N 066-56.14E
 24-33.13N 066-54.46E
 24-32.43N 066-52.82E
 24-31.16N 066-45.68E
 24-30.18N 066-39.49E
 24-28.84N 066-32.99E
 24-11.12N 066-15.44E
 24-02.83N 066-07.35E
 23-46.48N 065-51.41E
 23-24.05N 065-40.09E
 22-30.80N 064-49.02E
 21-46.30N 064-11.21E

Mariners are requested to navigate with caution in the area, keep clear 500 meters exclusion zone from the cable laying vessel at all times and maintain a listening watch on VHF channel 16.

- 360/21. **ARABIAN SEA.** Pakistan. Charts PAK 33, 57 (INT 751), 58 (INT 7019), BA 38 and 707. Naval ships will carry out surface, anti aircraft and depth charge live firing practice between 0400 to 1700 UTC from 08, 11-15, 18-22 and 25-29 Oct 2021 in following areas:

a.

24-19.00N 066-58.00E
 24-00.00N 066-39.00E
 24-11.00N 066-27.00E
 24-24.30N 066-42.00E

b.

24-36.02N 063-15.03E
 24-36.02N 062-30.03E
 24-21.02N 062-30.03E
 24-21.02N 063-15.03E

c.

24-36.02N 062-30.03E
 24-36.02N 061-45.03E
 24-21.02N 061-45.03E
 24-21.02N 062-30.03E

d. Depth charge firing area

24-16.18N 066-20.50E
 24-22.00N 066-27.00E
 24-16.30N 066-33.00E
 24-10.30N 066-27.00E

Ships and craft are to keep well clear of assigned danger area on above specified schedule. Cancel this message on 291800 UTC Oct 2021. Cancel Navarea IX warning 350 of 2021.

- 361/21. **CENTRAL GULF.** Qatar. Charts BA 2523, 2837, 2858 and 2886. Fugro Protues along with daughter craft 'Thea' will carry out Geophysical Survey (SUUHR) on 08 Oct 21. 'Fugro Thea' will be towing streamers of about 25m within and at the periphery of as-b location:

Center AS-BD 26-38.27N 051-56.98E
 Corner 1 26-38.46N 051-56.85E
 Corner 2 26-37.95N 051-56.45E
 Corner 3 26-37.61N 051-56.99E
 Corner 4 26-38.12N 051-57.39E

Mariners are requested to navigate with caution and give wide berth.

- 362/21. SELF CANCELLING.** Cancel Navarea IX warning 291 of 2021.
- 363/21. SOUTHERN GULF.** UAE. Charts BA 3413 and 3179. SPM 6 buoy near das island at position 25-08.14N, 052-55.69E reported unlit. Mariners are requested to navigate with caution.
- 364/21. RED SEA AND GULF OF ADEN.** All merchant vessels operating in the waters of the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden are to be cognizant of the ongoing conflict in Yemen and the impact on maritime traffic in vicinity of Bab-el-Mandeb strait. Recommend vessels operating in restricted waters be especially vigilant and remain as far west and south of Yemen as practicable including using the western traffic separation scheme in the northern Bab-el-Mandeb strait, maintaining best speed and transiting the Bab-el-Mandeb strait during daylight hours. Masters should remain in contact to the maximum extent possible with the United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations (UKMTO) emergency telephone numbers: +44 (0)2392 222060 or +971 5055 23215 e-mail: watchkeepers@ukmto.org and the U.S. Naval Cooperation and Guidance of Shipping (NCAGS) at cusnc.ncags_bw@me.navy.mil or by phone +973-3904-9583. Combined Maritime Forces (CMF) or USN forces can be expected to conduct maritime awareness calls, queries, and approaches in order to ensure the safety of vessels transiting the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden. All vessels approaching coalition naval forces are advised to maintain radio contact on bridge-to-bridge channel 16. Additionally, any unusual activities or hostile or potentially hostile action observed by mariners within this region should be reported to the CMF at +973-1785-39627 or us naval vessels using channel 16 via e-mail at cusnc.bwc@me.navy.mil and cusnc.fwo@me.navy.mil or by phone +973-1785-3879. Cancel Navarea IX warning 146 of 2019.
- 365/21. SELF CANCELLING.** Cancel Navarea IX warning 035 of 2020. Warning printed in Pakistan Notice to Mariners Weekly Edition 51 (Part-I) of 2020.
- 366/21. SELF CANCELLING.** Cancel Navarea IX warning 409 of 2020. Warning printed in Pakistan Notice to Mariners Weekly Edition 39 (Part-IV) of 2021.
- 367/21. SELF CANCELLING.** Navarea IX Warnings inforce:
 2020 Series: 004, 150, 215, 266, 336, 350, 394 and 451.
 2021 Series: 024, 086, 088, 109, 152, 176, 203, 206, 223, 224, 238, 251, 265, 266, 292, 293, 299, 301, 305, 307, 317, 321, 323, 330, 332, 335, 336, 340, 354, 358, 359, 360, 361, 363 and 364.

COASTAL WARNING

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- 104/21. SELF CANCELLING.** Cancel Coastal warning 098 of 2021.
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24-21.02N 062-30.03E
24-21.02N 063-15.03E

c.

24-36.02N 062-30.03E
24-36.02N 061-45.03E
24-21.02N 061-45.03E
24-21.02N 062-30.03E

d. Depth charge firing area

24-16.18N 066-20.50E
24-22.00N 066-27.00E
24-16.30N 066-33.00E
24-10.30N 066-27.00E

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108/21. SELF CANCELLING. Navigational Warnings Inforce:

2020 Series: 110 and 143.

2021 Series: 078, 086, 089, 094, 095, 096, 105, 106 and 107.

WPGs Inforced 2021: 46

WPGs Cancelled 2021: 43, 44 and 45

PART – III

CORRECTIONS TO SAILING DIRECTIONS

Nil

PART – IV

MARINE INFORMATION

Nil

To accompany Pakistan Notice to Mariners 112/21

On PAK Chart 33

ASTOLA ISLAND MARINE PROTECTED AREA (25° 07'.43'N 63° 50'.91E)

This area has been declared as Astola Island Marine Protected Area by the Government of Balochistan. Any activity which may disturb elements of the ecosystem including fishing, hunting, trapping, scuba diving, snorkelling, cliff jumping, jet skiing, sailing, power boating, surfing or sports fishing is prohibited without prior permission of the Government of Balochistan.

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D2160-32 PT. 1. 407-1	- Berth's 6 and 7. Pier. W Head. No 6	37 57-04 N 8 53-17 W	FR	5	3 Post	TE 2021	*
D2197-2 PT. 1. 491	- Vilamoura	37 04-47 N 8 07-38 W	Fl W 5s	17	12 Yellow tower on Navy control tower 16 *	<i>fl 0-2</i>	*
D2212 PT. 1. 510	SOUTH COAST. RIA FORMOSA. CANAL DE FARO - Ldg Lts 098-6°. Front. 244m from rear. Mar Santo *	36 58-50 N 7 52-04 W	Oc R 5s	9	5 White column, red bands	<i>ec 1.</i> Rear D2206	
D2640-6 PT. 1. 704-1	- Porto da Povoação. W Mole. Head	37 44-71 N 25 14-81 W	Oc R 4s	6	3 White tower, red bands	<i>ec 1-5.</i> TE 2021	*
D2662 PT. 1. 735	- Praia da Vitória. Pier Head	38 43-59 N 27 03-05 W	Fl W 5s	19	10 White post, black bands 9	<i>fl 1</i>	*
D2684-1 PT. 1. 830-1	- Areia Larga. Ldg Lts 082-2°. Rear. 20m from front	38 31-64 N 28 32-15 W	Iso R 4s	12	6 Red lantern on post 4	Shown when weather is suitable for approach	*
D2730 PT. 1. 629	- Machico. Quay. Pier. Head	32 43-03 N 16 45-62 W	Fl(3)G 8s	6	6 Green tower 2	<i>(fl 0-5, ec 1) x 2, fl 0-5, ec 4-5</i>	*