



Government of **Western Australia**
Department of **Transport**

Notice to Mariners
Navigation Hazard
Amendment to
Installation of Cyclone Moorings
Montebello Islands

Mariners are advised that the previous Temporary Notice to Mariners advertised in the West Australian and Pilbara News on the 12th and 19th May 2010 has been revoked and replaced by this updated Notice to Mariners.

This Notice advises that a total of four (4) cyclone moorings have been installed in close proximity to Bunsen Channel, Montebello Islands and will remain in place for approximately three (3) years, their removal will be reviewed in 2013. These cyclone moorings are located in the following positions:

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| Lat 20°25.830'S | Long 115°34.267'E |
| Lat 20°25.693'S | Long 115°34.154'E |
| Lat 20°25.934'S | Long 115°34.352'E |
| Lat 20°25.538'S | Long 115°34.032'E |

Each cyclone Mooring has a large orange surface buoy with a yellow flashing light and marked with identification numbers.

Mariners are advised to navigate with extreme caution when transiting the area. Please be advised, all moorings are for *authorised use only* and anchoring within this area is not recommended.

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