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Marine Act 1988

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 15(1)

The Director of Marine Safety, acting on the recommendation of Goulburn Murray Water, the local authority for the Waters of Waranga Basin,

1. revokes the rules regulating the operation of vessels on the Waters of Waranga Basin set out in Schedule 85 of the Notice made under section 15(1) of the **Marine Act 1988** and published in the Government Gazette G 26 on 2 July 1998; and
2. gives notice of the following rules regulating the operation of vessels on the Waters of Waranga Basin:

SCHEDULE 85

WATERS–WARANGA BASIN

Local Authority – Goulburn-Murray Water

Vessel Operating and Zoning Rules for water levels above 114.38 metres Australian Height Datum (AHD) – as measured at the head gauge board located at the minor outlet of Waranga Basin

1. Access lanes for the purposes of Clause 5.
The following waters of Waranga Basin are access lanes:
 - (a) Extending approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 350 metres wide located approximately 40 metres south of the gravel launching ramp adjacent to the Waranga Caravan Park on the western shore of the Basin;
 - (b) Extending approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 100 metres wide located approximately 40 metres south of the public launching ramp on the western shore of Sapling Point;
 - (c) Extending approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 150 metres wide located adjacent to the southern shore of the Waranga Boat Club peninsula;
 - (d) Extending approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area adjacent to the entire northern perimeter of Sapling Point except the prohibited area;
 - (e) Extending approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 150 metres wide located approximately 40 metres south of the public launching ramp on the eastern shore of Harriman's Point.
2. Five knot speed restriction zones for the purposes of Clause 7.
The waters of the Waranga Basin –
 - (a) around the perimeter of the Basin for a distance of approximately 200 metres from the edge of the water except in the access lanes and prohibited areas;
 - (b) south of a line between a beacon erected on the northern extremity of the peninsula located one kilometre south of the launching ramp on Sapling Point and a beacon located on the western shore of Harriman's Point approximately one kilometre south of the northern extremity of the point;

- (c) south of a line between beacons located on opposite shores of the Basin approximately 750 metres north of the point where the Cattanach Canal enters the basin except in the prohibited area;
- (d) east of a line between a beacon located on the south-east point of Finigans Island and a beacon located on the Basin embankment approximately 750 metres west of the inlet structure on the Stuart Murray Canal, except in the prohibited area

are subject to a speed restriction of 5 knots.

3. Areas prohibited to vessels for the purposes of Clause 9.

The following waters of Waranga Basin are prohibited to vessels:

- (a) Extending for a distance of 40 metres south of the Basin embankment as indicated by beacons inscribed "No Boats within 40 metres of Embankment" erected on the embankment except in the 5 knot speed restriction zone in the northeast area of the Basin;
- (b) In the vicinity of the outlet structure in the north-west corner of the Basin in an area approximately 330 metres wide and extending 200 metres from the waters edge the boundaries being marked by a beacon on the embankment approximately 40 metres east of the outlet structure and another beacon on the foreshore approximately 290 metres west of the outlet structure and red buoys in the water 200 metres from the shore at right angles to the side boundary beacons and the edge of the water;
- (c) In the Waranga Western Main Channel west of a line between beacons inscribed "Stop" and "Prohibited Water Beyond this Point" located on opposite banks of the channel approximately 500 metres west of the public launching ramp into the channel;
- (d) In the Cattanach Canal south of a line between beacons inscribed "Stop" and "Prohibited Water Beyond this Point" located on opposite banks of the canal approximately 150 metres north of the inlet structure erected in the canal;
- (e) In the north-east corner of the Basin east of a line between a beacon inscribed "Stop" and "Prohibited Water Beyond this Point" erected on the southern bank of the Stuart Murray Canal approximately 40 metres west of the inlet structure and a similar beacon erected on the Basin embankment approximately 50 metres west of the inlet structure;
- (f) Extending 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 80 metres wide located adjacent to the Waranga Caravan Park on the western shore of the Basin approximately 40 metres north of the gravel launching ramp the boundaries of the swimming area being marked by red buoys in the water;
- (g) Extending 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 50 metres wide located on the western shore of Sapling Point immediately north of the southern boundary of the Victorian Kite Flyers lease area, the boundaries of the swimming area being marked by red buoys in the water.

Vessel Operating and Zoning Rules for water levels 114.37 metres AHD or less – as measured at the head gauge board located at the minor outlet of Waranga Basin

1. 5 knot speed restriction zones for the purposes of Clause 7.

All waters of Waranga Basin are subject to a speed restriction of 5 knots.

2. Areas prohibited to vessels for the purposes of Clause 9.

The following waters of Waranga Basin are prohibited to vessels:

- (a) Extending for a distance of 40 metres south of the Basin embankment as indicated by beacons inscribed "No Boats within 40 metres of Embankment" erected on the embankment except in the 5 knot speed restriction zone in the northeast area of the Basin;

- (b) In the vicinity of the outlet structure in the north-west corner of the Basin in an area approximately 330 metres wide and extending 200 metres from the waters edge the boundaries being marked by a beacon on the embankment approximately 40 metres east of the outlet structure and another beacon on the foreshore approximately 290 metres west of the outlet structure and red buoys in the water 200 metres from the shore at right angles to the side boundary beacons and the edge of the water;
- (c) In the Waranga Western Main Channel west of a line between beacons inscribed "Stop" and "Prohibited Water Beyond this Point" located on opposite banks of the channel approximately 500 metres west of the public launching ramp into the channel;
- (d) In the Cattanach Canal south of a line between beacons inscribed "Stop" and "Prohibited Water Beyond this Point" located on opposite banks of the canal approximately 150 metres north of the inlet structure erected in the canal;
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- (g) Extending 200 metres from the edge of the water in an area approximately 50 metres wide located on the western shore of Sapling Point immediately north of the southern boundary of the Victorian Kite Flyers lease area, the boundaries of the swimming area being marked by red buoys in the water.

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