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## Marine Act 1988 SECTION 15 NOTICE

I, the Director of Marine Safety, on the recommendation of Stuart Ord, Regional Manager, City and Bays, Parks Victoria, hereby give notice under subsection 15(1) of the **Marine Act 1988** that:

- (a) bathing and the operation of vessels is prohibited on the waters of the Yarra River within the areas detailed in Table 2 at the times specified in Table 1 excluding those vessels associated with the events listed in Table 1.
- (b) the vessels involved with the Moomba Masters Events and Ski Show listed in Table 1 of this Notice are excluded from Clauses 3(a), 3(b) and 7 and 14 of Notice No. 1 made under s.15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988** for the times specified in Table 1.
- (c) the vessels involved with the Moomba Masters Events and Ski Show are excluded from Clauses 19(b) and 19(c) of Notice No. 1 made under s.15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988** for the times specified in Table 1.
- (d) At the completion of events on any of the days detailed in Table 1 and as determined and announced by the Parks Victoria Ranger in Charge – Yarra River, the waters will revert to the provisions of Schedule 3 contained in Notice No.1 made under subsection 15(2) of the **Marine Act 1988**.

**Table 1: Yarra River Event Closure Times**

Day/Date	Times	Event	Closure Zone
Thursday, 1 March 2007	9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Course Set Up	A
	1.00 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.		
Friday, 2 March 2007	9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Course Set Up	A
	1.00 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.		
Monday, 5 March 2007	9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Course Set Up	A
	1.00 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.		
Tuesday, 6 March 2007	9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Course Set Up	A
	1.00 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.		
Wednesday, 7 March 2007	8.30 a.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
Thursday, 8 March 2007	8.30 a.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
Friday, 9 March 2007	7.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
	5.30 p.m. – 6.30 p.m.	Indigenous Boat Demonstration	B

**SPECIAL**

Day/Date	Times	Event	Closure Zone
Saturday, 10 March 2007	8.30 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
	1.00 p.m. – 8.30 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
	12.00 p.m. – 1.00 p.m.	Canoing Victoria Dash for Cash	B
	2.00 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.	RLSV Rescue and Race Demonstration	B
	8.45 p.m. – 9.40 p.m.	Fireworks Display	C
Sunday, 11 March 2007	11.00 a.m. – 8.30 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
	8.45 p.m. – 9.40 p.m.	Fireworks Display	C
	11.30 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.	Birdman Rally	D
	8.30 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.	Run Against the Riverboat	E
Monday, 12 March 2007	7.30 a.m. – 8.30 p.m.	Moomba Masters Events & Ski Show	A
	2.00 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.	Berry St Bath Tub Dash	B
	8.45 p.m. – 9.40 p.m.	Fireworks Display	C

**Table 2: River Closure Zones for 2007 Melbourne Moomba Waterfest**

<b>Area A</b>	The waters of the Yarra River between the upstream edge of the VRA Landing and Morell Bridge.
<b>Area B</b>	The waters of the Yarra River between a point 30 metres upstream of the downstream edge the VRA landing to th upstream edge of the VRA landing.
<b>Area C</b>	The waters of the Yarra River between Princes Bridge and Swan Street Bridge.
<b>Area D</b>	The waters of the Yarra River between the upstream edge of the Birrarung Marr “Ships Bow” to the upstream edge of VRA Landing.
<b>Area E</b>	The waters of the Yarra River between the upstream edge of the VRA Landing to the Powerhouse Rowing Club Landing.

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Dated 28 February 2007

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Director of Marine Safety

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