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MARINE BOARD (CONTROL OVER MARITIME TRAFFIC) (NO. 4) NOTICE 2015

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The Minister responsible for marine and ports services, in exercise of the power conferred by section 10(1)(a), (aa) 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 2015.

Round-the-Island Boat Race

2 The Round-the-Island Boat Race (the "Race") will be held on Sunday 9 August 2015 from 1:45 p.m. to 3:30 p.m..

Course of the Race

3 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

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

Sea Passages	From	To
(a) the passage between Ferry Point and Coney Island at the Ferry Reach pylons:	1:25 p.m.	3:30 p.m. or until opened by marine police
(b) the passage between Hinson's Island and the Paget mainland:	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.

Race course to be patrolled

5 (1) The course of the Race will be patrolled by the marine police and marshal boats.

(2) For the duration of the Race, all mariners, pilots and boatmen must exercise extreme caution when navigating in the vicinity of the course of the Race, particularly in the vicinity of Ferry Reach, Two Rock Passage, and White's Island in Hamilton Harbour.

Speed limits not to apply

6 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 16, 23 or 30 August 2015 from 1:45 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., and the provisions of this Notice shall apply in all respects to the Race held on either date.

Made this 27th day of July 2015

Acting Minister of Tourism Development and Transport