

# Port & Marine Facility Safety Code (PMSC)

## Monthly Safety Report – December 2025



INCIDENT (Inc.) /OBSERVATION (Obs.)	DATE	ACTIONS
Commercial Fishing vessel made contact with the quayside whilst manoeuvring. (inc.) MC# 3438	01/12/2025	Insurers have been notified and investigation continuing. OPEN
Malicious Broadcasts over the VHF radio during commercial shipping movement. (obs.) MC# 3445	09/12/2025	Vessel movement continued without incident. No further reports received of malicious broadcasts. Crews were reminded of other VHF working channels. CLOSED
Commercial Cargo vessel made contact with quaysides whilst manoeuvring. (inc.) MC #3449	12/12/2025	Insurers have been notified and investigation continuing. OPEN
Lifting Block defect observed on tug (obs.) MC#3452	15/12/2025	Tugs lifting operations were suspended until block was replaced. CLOSED
Commercial vessel above 50 meters entered port limits without Pilot (inc.) MC#3455	17/12/2025	The pilot informed the vessel's Master of the noncompliance with Pilotage rules, and the vessel's owners and agent were also notified. CLOSED
Leisure vessel was reported as speeding within the river Adur (inc.) MC#3462	31/12/2025	Pilot Cutter crew responded to the reported and advised the vessel's operator on compliance with local speed restrictions, in accordance with Port accordance with Port's General Directions. CLOSED
ACCIDENTS	DATE	ACTIONS
No reported accidents		
NAVIGATIONAL	DATE	ACTIONS
Large piece of timber fendering observed floating within the Prince George channel (Obs.) MC# 3441	08/12/2025	Recovered by Tug team CLOSED
<i>Actions, conclusions, and the status of My Compliance reports can be individually searched using the My Compliance number for each report listed in the <a href="#">My Compliance register</a>.</i>		
EXERCISE / TRAINING		DATE
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter ISPS Drill		16/12/2025
Oil spill Tabletop exercise		16/12/2025
2 <sup>nd</sup> Oil spill notification exercise		19/12/2025

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>AUDITS - INSPECTIONS - REVIEWS</b>	<b>DATE</b>
Pilot Boarding Arrangement	Review	03/12/2025
Trinity House Aids to Navigation External Audit	Audit	09/12/2025
PMSC KPI review	Review	10/12/2025
Harbour Tug and Bed levelling Operations	Review	04/12/2025
Harbour Tug Towage Operating Procedures	Review	29/12/2025
<b>MEETINGS / CONFERENCE CALLS</b>		<b>DATE</b>
Local Port Service Meeting		02/12/2025
Port Security Monthly Meeting		03/12/2025
Marine Safety Meeting		03/12/2025
Monthly Marine Operations meeting		17/12/2025
<b>Hydrographic surveys for the Month</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• East Arm Entrance &amp; Approaches</li> </ul>		

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Harbour Master