

ORKNEY ISLANDS COUNCIL

MARINE SERVICES

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No 15/2020

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4 ANCHOR MOORING – SCAPA FLOW ANCHORAGE No 4

A 4-anchor mooring spread has been installed at Scapa Flow, Anchorage no.4

A Container vessel of 139 metres length “VEGA SCORPIO” will moor to this mooring system, and will stay for approximately 6 months from the 2nd July 2020, for cold lay-up.

The mooring arrangement consists of 4 HHP anchors, the NW and SW anchors both connect into a 100m chain which both join into the same shackle, connecting a 37m riser wire leading to a buoy. The NE and SE anchors and chain have the same configuration.

The vessel will be marked with Anchor lights and daymark as per Colregs

The buoys will be yellow Can buoys, flashing yellow, FIY 5s. Light range 1nm.

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