

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Date of notice:	27/07/2026
Issued by:	Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc. Trading as Scottish and Southern Electricity Networks Transmission (SSENT)
Activity Type:	Hazard
Area of Operations:	Near-Shore Area off Warbeth, Orkney
<i>Coordinates for the activities are detailed below.</i>	

Seabed Hazard

Introduction

Mariners are advised of the completion of marine activities in relation to the Orkney HVAC, Warbeth HDD works. (Figure 1)

The completion of the works includes the installation of two subsea HDD ducts and supporting rock bags. These assets will facilitate the cable installation works in early 2027.

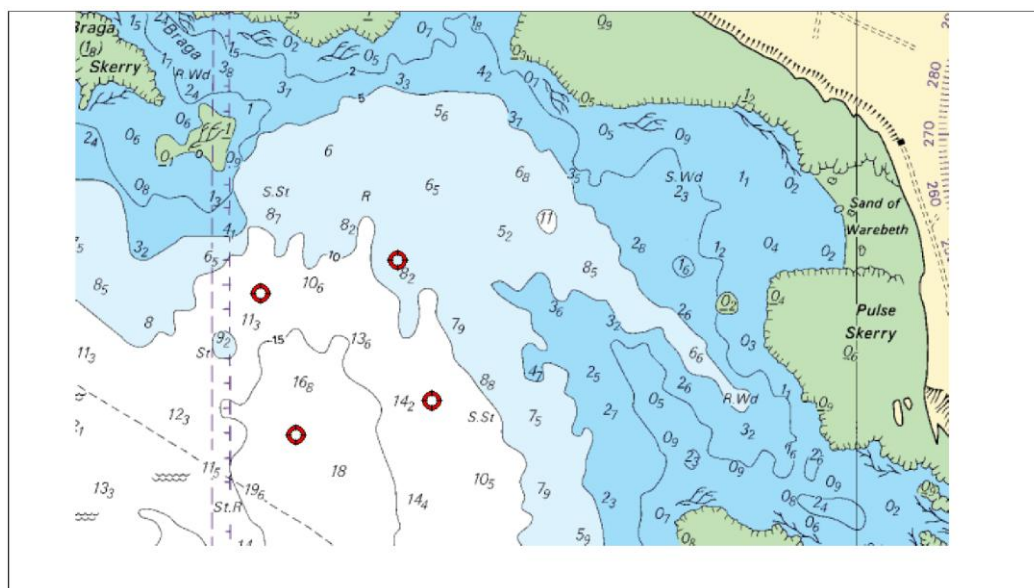
As such, until the final cable is installed, these assets pose a hazard to marine users. Mariners are therefore advised to maintain a stand-off of 500m from this asset until further notice.

The coordinates of the hazards are detailed in (Table 1).

Contact details for any queries can be found in (Table 2).

Area Of Hazard

Figure 1- Location of Subsea Hazard- Near-shore Area Warbeth; Orkney



Hazard Coordinates

The hazards are located at the following coordinates:

Table 1. Hazard Coordinates

Corner	WSG84 UTM Zone 30		LAT/LONG
	Eastings	Northings	
1	479769.252E	6535325.362N	58° 57.424'N, 3° 21.102'W
2	479945.011E	6535364.167N	58° 57.446'N, 3° 20.919'W
3	479816.462E	6535130.951N	58° 57.320'N, 3° 21.051'W
4	479995.874E	6535170.563N	58° 57.342'N, 3° 20.864'W

Contact Details

Table 2. SSEN contact information

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Legal Notice:

Please be advised that this Notice to Mariners should be treated as official notice of the nature, duration and location of the works which are scheduled to take place. During the period of this notice, we request that you plan your activities around our short-term, temporary activities. Any failure to remove equipment or entry into the identified location in a manner that would constitute a hazard would be a breach of your duties of safe seamanship as described in the Convention on International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea 1972 and/or the Merchant Shipping Act 1995 and may result in removal of the relevant equipment.