



HARBOUR AUTHORITY'S MISSION STATEMENT



The Harbour Authority will ensure that the Harbour is operated efficiently and safely so as to safeguard the harbour, its users, the public and the environment. It is committed to performing all of its duties and responsibilities in a safe and efficient manner.

The Harbour Authority will comply with all legal requirements of the Port marine Safety Code and will heed the guidance in the Guide to Good Practice on Port Marine Operations. The functions of the Harbour Authority will be conducted openly and transparently and will be in the overall long-term interests of the harbour stakeholders and beneficiaries.

The Harbour Authority is committed to fully complying with the standards laid down in the Port Marine Safety Code (PMSC) and the management of Navigation shall be in accordance with those standards. The Board, as the Duty Holder, are collectively and individually accountable for the management of marine safety under the code.

In fulfilling its duties, the Harbour Authority is committed:-

- To ensuring so far as reasonably practical the safety of all those that use and work in the harbour.
- To preserving the environment and maintaining approved pollution prevention and nature conservation measures.
- To facilitating the safety of navigation in the harbour and its approaches together with safeguarding the navigational access to and from the harbour.
- To the provision and maintenance of viable harbour facilities.
- To providing an efficient pilotage service.
- To regulating the activities of all those that use the harbour and ensuring the applicable laws are enforced whenever appropriate.
- To review formally the Harbour Authority's plans, policies and procedures at intervals not exceeding 3 years.

This statement is approved by the Board of the Harbour Authority and will be reviewed within the next 3 years.

[Signed on original]

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Chairman

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Date