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DUN LAOGHAIRE HARBOUR NOTICE TO MARINERS

NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (2019-NCOV) – MARITIME DECLARATIONS OF HEALTH

Dun Laoghaire Harbour
Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council
Dun Laoghaire
Co Dublin

Date: 01 January 2023

This notice should be read by all Masters, Owners, Operators and Agents of all Vessels arriving to Dun Laoghaire Harbour who are directed to comply with the **Department of Transport Tourism and Sport Marine Notice No. 02 of 2022 - AS AMENDED (10/06/2022)**

QUOTE:

The Department of Transport has been informed that, following a review of current circumstances locally and internationally by the Health Services Executive (HSE) and Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC), it has been decided to stand down the requirements set out in Marine Notice No. 06 of 2020 – “Covid-19 (2019-nCoV) – Maritime Declarations of Health”.

Therefore, from Monday 10 January 2022, there is no longer a requirement for every vessel arriving in Ireland from outside the island of Ireland to issue a Maritime Declaration of Health (MDOH).

In line with the requirements of the *Infectious Diseases (Shipping) Regulations 2008* ([S.I. No.4 of 2008](#)), a vessel need only submit a MDOH when:

- 1) There is a case, or a suspected case, of an infectious disease on board and this has resulted in illness or death, or
- 2) upon a request to do so as part of a local arrangement with local Port Health Authorities.

MDOH if required, should be submitted to SafeSeasIreland as part of the vessel’s pre-arrival notification

Further queries relating to the submission of Maritime Declarations of Health may be directed to the Environmental Health Service at the following email address: PHOU@hse.ie.

Additional guidance from the HSE website on COVID-19 in Ireland is available at the following website: <https://www.hpsc.ie/a-z/respiratory/coronavirus/novelcoronavirus/>.

Marine Notice No. 06 of 2020 is hereby withdrawn.

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Masters, Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Boaters should ensure that the contents of this Notice are made known to the Persons in Charge of their vessels or craft. All Notice to Mariners can be found on the Dun Laoghaire Harbour website.