



MIDDLE EAST NAVIGATION AIDS SERVICE NOTICE TO MARINERS

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ISSUED DATE: 9th October 2018

SOUTHERN GULF: UAE – NEW NAVIGATIONAL AIDS ESTABLISHED AT SAQR PORT DEEP-WATER BULK TERMINAL

BA Chart: 3404, 3174, 2888, 2837, 2858

Deepwater Bulk Terminal facility at Saqr Port will be operational on the 10 OCT 18. The bulk terminal is located on the outer side of Saqr Port main lee breakwater and dredged to 18m below CD.

The pilot station located in position 26-01.803N, 056-00.212E. (2.5nm North West of Fairway buoy)

A new approach channel with minimum depth of 18m below CD, has been established for safe passage of vessels destined to the new terminal.

Buoy C1	Green	Fl.Q.G	25-58.845N, 056-02.332E
Buoy C2	Red	Fl.Q.R	25-58.928N, 056-02.442E
Buoy C3	Green	Fl.(2).G.6s	25-58.536N, 056-02.489E
Buoy C4	Red	Fl.(2).R.6s	25-58.933N, 056-02.707E
Sector Light	Occ	RWG.6s 16m 6M Centre Bearing 322.35°	25-58.469N, 056-02.749E
Quayside Beacon S	Red	2F.R (Vert)2M	25-58.501N, 056-02.670E
Quayside Beacon N	Red	2F.R (Vert)2M	25-58.855N, 056-02.784E

Quayside Beacon N will be positioned mid-way along the quayside indicating the completed section of the berth. Final position is expected early 2019.

Mariners are requested to update their BA charts. All vessels calling to deep-water bulk terminal are advised to contact Saqr Port Control on VHF Channel 14 & 16 prior arrival.

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