

UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. UoA/07/2019

MORAY FIRTH, SCOTLAND

Date of notice: 20th June, 2019

Mariners are advised that, further to notice UoA/06/2019, the University of Aberdeen intends to **service and reinstall in their existing locations** moorings at the locations listed in table 1, and to **remove** moorings listed in table 2.

Table 1. Intended mooring service works.

Name	Coordinates (WGS84 datum)		Characteristics
164(A)	58° 12.815' N	002° 51.679' W	Subsurface
112	58° 10.790' N	002° 40.523' W	Subsurface

Table 2. Intended mooring removal works.


Name	Coordinates (WGS84 datum)		Characteristics
184	58° 15.424' N	002° 47.629' W	Subsurface

The moorings support sound recording equipment, and / or acoustic loggers that record echolocation clicks of dolphins and porpoises (see images of devices at the foot of this notice). Moorings will extend no more than 3m vertically from the seabed.

All works will be carried out by Moray First Marine Ltd., using MV “Waterfall” or MV “Coral Wind”.

These works will commence as soon as possible after the date of this notice, subject to weather.

Waterfall	
General Description and Dimensions:	Workboat, UK MCA Cat.2, 60nm from safe haven LOA 16m, Beam 6m.
Call sign:	2CBT4
MMSI:	235071392
On Board Contact:	Bill Ruck, 07775 802963
E-mail:	bill@moraymarine.com
	

Coral Wind	
General Description and Dimensions:	Workboat, UK MCA Cat.2, 60nm from safe haven LOA 14m, Beam 5.1m, Draft 1.2m
Call sign:	2EMX8
MMSI:	235086491
On Board Contact:	Bill Ruck, 07775 802963
E-mail:	bill@moraymarine.com
	

A further Notice to Mariners will be issued in the event of additional operations on the above listed mooring locations.

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Acoustic logger
(600 x 95mm)

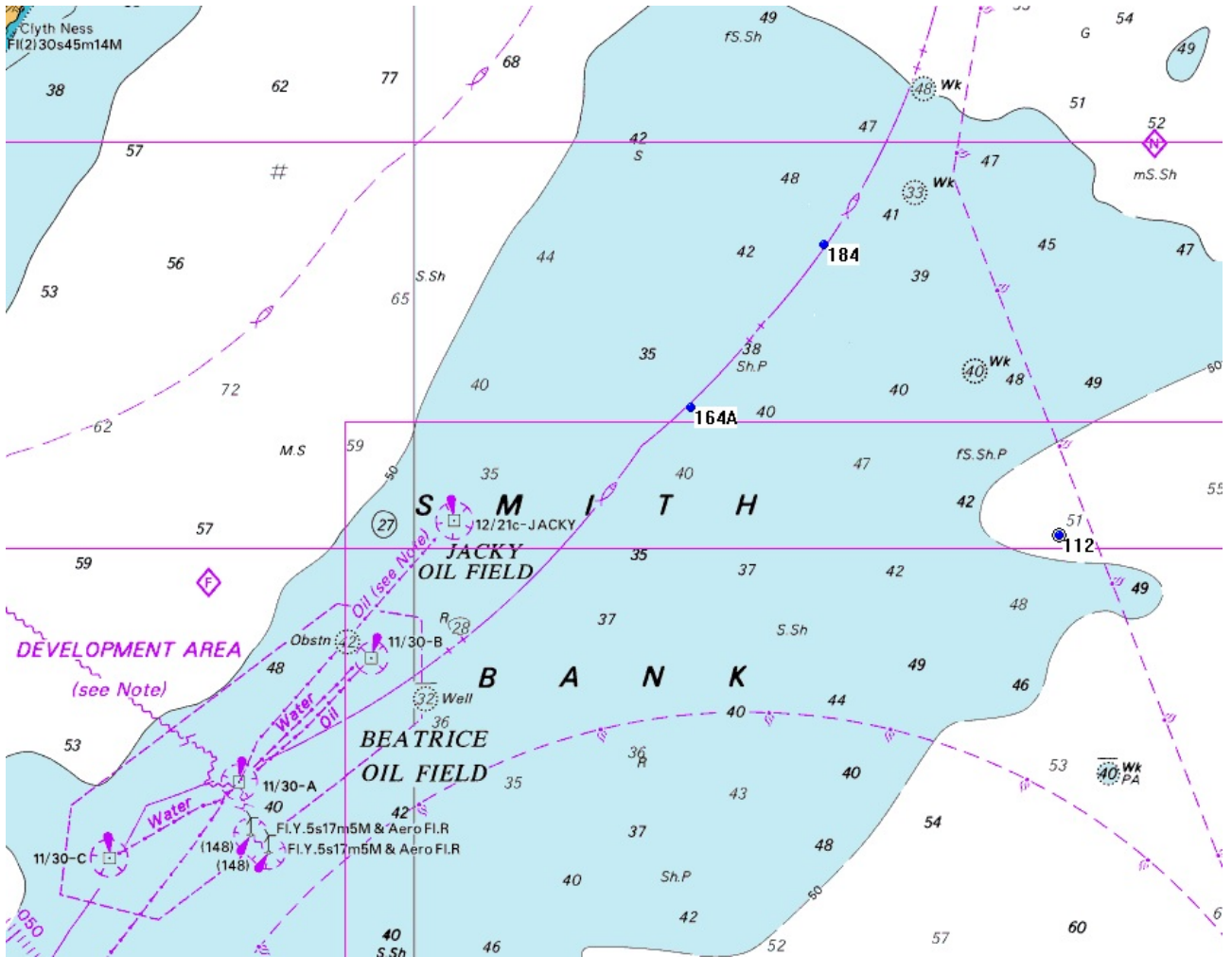


Sound recorder
(900 x 170mm)



Sound recorder
(200 x 60mm)

Examples of equipment which the above moorings support.



Mooring locations noted in this Notice to Mariners – Smith Bank detail.