



Notice to Mariners № 20 of 2020

Jersey Harbours

***The 1st September 2020 update to this notice applies from 00:01 Wednesday 2nd September 2020.**

NtM's No.'s 12, 13,14 and 25 of 2020 have been cancelled

Leisure vessels arriving in/returning to the Bailiwick of Jersey – COVID 19

Mariners are advised of the following requirements relating to all leisure vessels and passengers wishing to land persons ashore in the Bailiwick of Jersey including all harbours and outlying reefs . This includes Jersey residents returning on-board leisure vessels that have landed ashore in other jurisdictions outside of the Bailiwick of Jersey.

- 1) Visiting leisure vessels wishing to land persons ashore **must** pre-book a berth prior to arrival with Jersey Marinas and will be required to arrive at the designated port of **St Helier only**. Visiting vessels arriving in St Helier that have not pre-booked will not be accepted. Jersey Marinas can be contacted on +44(0) 1534 447730 / 447708 or jerseymarinas@ports.je to book a berth.
- 2) All arrivals must self-isolate for 14 days on arrival or:
 - Prior to departure, at registration present approved documentary evidence of a negative Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) COVID-19 test conducted within 72 hours of arrival in Jersey (see section 4 below for further information) or
 - Undergo a PCR test as soon as possible after arrival in Jersey
- 3) As part of the registration process, all persons visiting or returning to Jersey must declare their travel history for the 14 days prior to planned arrival in Jersey. The UK, France and Republic of Ireland are split into regions and categorised into three groups (Green, Amber, Red). All other countries are also categorised into three groups (Green, Amber and Red) but not by region. The testing and self isolation requirements for each category vary. Please find further information on the GoJ website (<https://www.gov.je/Health/Coronavirus/Travel/Pages/CoronavirusTravelAdvice.aspx#anchor-4>).
- 4) Visiting leisure vessels and Jersey residents returning on-board leisure vessels that have landed ashore in other jurisdictions must complete the *"All commercial airline, ferry and private marine passengers"* Pre-departure registration and declaration form on the GoJ



website (www.gov.je/jerseytravel). This must be completed prior to departure to Jersey. Visiting leisure vessels should use the St Helier Marina (Postcode: JE2 3ND) as their address if residing on board their vessel . A Pre-departure registration and declaration form must be completed for **each person** on-board visiting/returning leisure vessels.

- 5) Those mariners wishing to submit evidence of a negative PCR test conducted in their country of departure must meet the approval criteria described on the www.gov.je/jerseytravel page under the section “*Pre-departure negative COVID-19 test procedure*”.
- 6) A PCR test will be arranged for as soon as possible after arrival in Jersey for all persons onboard the vessel . You will be contacted and told the location of the testing centre once your Pre-registration and declaration form has been processed. Please be aware that this may involve a car or taxi journey to one of the island’s drive through testing centres; you will have to pay for any cost of travel to and from the testing centre and are discouraged from using public transport.
- 7) Jersey residents returning from outside of the Bailiwick of Jersey can return to their registered berth or mooring.
- 8) All persons on board a vessel arriving in the Bailiwick of Jersey from a green category country or region are required to self-isolate from the point of arrival until their PCR test is conducted, only leaving their vessel or residence for the purpose of being tested. Persons arriving from an amber or red categorised country or region should refer to the requirements listed on the GoJ website:
<https://www.gov.je/Health/Coronavirus/Travel/Pages/CoronavirusTravelAdvice.aspx#anchor-4>
- 9) For arrivals from green category regions or countries, once the PCR test has been conducted, the individual will be granted permission not to self-isolate and vessels will be able to proceed to other harbours and outlying reefs within the Bailiwick of Jersey and land ashore. Please refer to the “*While waiting for test results*” section of www.gov.je/jerseytravel website for further information.
- 10) If there are any issues accessing or completing the Pre-registration and declaration forms, please contact the local helpline on +44 (0)1534 445566
- 11) In the event that any of the PCR test results for any person on board the visiting/returning vessel are positive, the individual will be notified by telephone call from the Contact Tracing Service to the telephone number provided at pre-departure registration. They will be given specific guidance and must self-isolate as directed. The



earlier permission to not self-isolate will be revoked at this point. Members of the individual's household or those on board their vessel will also be directed to self-isolate at this point.

In addition, all mariners are requested to observe physical distancing as per the Government of Jersey guidance, link below:

<https://www.gov.je/Health/Coronavirus/Pages/index.aspx>

This notice will remain in force until further notice.

Captain Bill Sadler
Harbour Master, Jersey Harbours

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