

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. 16 of 2008

Eastlink Bridge Opening Times

With immediate effect the opening times of the “Eastlink Bridge” will be restricted to the following:

Monday to Friday

No Opening Between

**06:30 hrs to 10:00 hrs
&
15:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs**

Commercial Traffic

Bridge will be opened for Commercial traffic as and when required but subject to :-

- a) the specified “no opening” times
- b) a minimum of 2 hours notice.
- c) road traffic at that time.

If tugs are being used then the latest opening time will be ½ hour earlier than the stated no opening time.

Leisure Craft:

00:00 to 06:30 Bridge will be opened subject to a minimum of 2 hours notice and road traffic.
11:00 Bridge will be opened subject to a minimum of 2 hours notice and road traffic.
20:00 to 24:00 Bridge will be opened subject to a minimum of 2 hours notice and road traffic.

Saturday and Sunday

Bridge will be opened for Commercial and Leisure craft subject to a minimum of 2 hours notice and road traffic.

These restrictions may be varied on a case-by-case basis, depending upon circumstance, and only with the permission of the Harbour Master.

Width of Opening Span = 31.5 metres
Clearance under bridge = 6.35 metres above Chart Datum

Captain David T. Dignam
Harbour Master

12th November 2008