



LERWICK PORT AUTHORITY

NOTICE to MARINERS

NO: 1/2017

LERWICK HARBOUR – BUCHAN ALPHA

Mariners are advised that Floating Production Unit “Buchan Alpha” will be anchored in Dales Voe, Lerwick on or around 10th August 2017 for a period of approximately 12 months.

The vessel will be anchored in Dales Voe prior to being winched alongside Dales Voe Quay.

Approximate Anchor Position:

60° 11.70' N, 001° 10.85' W

Buchan Alpha will be moored with a combination of lines to the quay and to anchors laid in Dales Voe.

Support vessels will be in attendance during anchoring operations.

Mariners are required to maintain a safe distance from the vessel at all times while the vessel is at Lerwick.

There will be diving operations and personnel may be working at sea level throughout the period.

Mariners are requested to contact Port Control, pass at slow speed and give a wide berth when transiting the area.

Mariners are advised that the vessel may not be displaying lights and shapes in accordance with the Merchant Shipping (Distress Signals and Prevention of Collision) Regulations 1996

Mariners are requested to maintain a listening watch on VHF Marine Channel 12 & 16 at all times.

9 August 2017

Captain Calum A.S Grains
Harbourmaster and Deputy Chief Executive