

**ANNOUNCEMENT TO SHIPPING**  
**IJmond North Sea Canal Area**  
**Central Nautical Management**

Announcement No. 23/2022

IJmuiden, 20 April 2022

Subject: Designation order Berth for ships to be bunkered, municipality of Velsen 2022

The Director of the Central Nautical Management North Sea Canal Area, who is also the (State) Harbour Master, announces the following:

Having regard to:

- Article 1.1 of the Regional Port Bye-laws for the North Sea Canal Area 2019;
- Article 8.1, paragraph 2, under b of the Regional Port Bye-laws for the North Sea Canal Area 2019;
- Article 8.5, paragraph 2, under c, of the Regional Port Bye-laws for the North Sea Canal Area 2019, and;

Having considered that:

- the Board of the Municipality of Velsen is authorised to designate areas or berths where bunkering of fuels or energy sources is permitted;
- the Board of the Municipality of Velsen is authorised to designate areas or berths where the bringing on board of auxiliaries is permitted;
- the bunkering of fuels or energy sources may entail risks which can be reduced by bunkering in designated areas or berths;
- the bringing on board of auxiliary materials may entail risks, which can be reduced by bringing auxiliary materials on board in designated areas or berths, and;
- justification for the use of this authority is the safety and the environment in the port and its immediate surroundings.

Has decided the following:

- I. In the provisions of or pursuant to this Decree, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:
  - a. bunkering: the delivery of fuel oil, gas oil and diesel oil or blends thereof used for the propulsion of ships or for the general or specific energy supply on board ships;
  - b. bunker vessel: vessel used for bunkering;
  - c. auxiliary machinery: machines, equipment or installations on a ship that support propulsion or provide the energy supply;
  - d. auxiliaries: substances, which are required on board a seagoing vessel for the operation of the propulsion or auxiliary machinery, and;
  - e. seagoing vessel: ship which, according to its construction, is exclusively or mainly intended for navigation at sea.
- II. All berths in the ports of Velsen (see Article 1.1 of the Regional Port Bye-laws for the North Sea Canal Area 2019) that are suitable and intended for the mooring of seagoing vessels to be designated as berths for bunkering by a

bunker vessel of fuel oil, gas oil and diesel oil or blends thereof or for bringing the auxiliary lubricant on board by a ship.

III. This Decree enters into force one day after its publication.

Should you have any questions about this Announcement, please contact the Duty Operations Manager at the following telephone number: +31 205 234 692.

The Director of the Central Nautical Management North Sea Canal Area Harbour Master of the Port of Amsterdam,

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