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Notice to Skippers No. 25/2022

Pursuant to Art. 14 sec. 1(4) of the Act of 20 July 2017 – Water Law (Dz. U. /Journal of Laws/ of 2021, item 2233, 2368, of 2022, item 88, 258, 855) and Art. 43 sec. 6 of the Act of 21 December 2000 on Inland Navigation (Dz. U. /Journal Of Laws/ of 2022, item 1097), State Water Holding "Polish Waters", the Regional Water Management Board in Szczecin, in coordination with the Waterways and Shipping Office Oder-Havel (Germany) and the Office of Inland Navigation in Szczecin informs that in connection with the pollution of the Oder River, further dams will be placed on the Regalica River. The dams will be placed in the non-navigable spans of the following bridges: Gryfitów (km 734.6 of the Regalica River) and Cłowy (km 737.6 of the Regalica River).

In view of the aforementioned difficulties and the planned construction of further dams in the area of the Szczecin Water Junction, the waterway administration informs that

from 16 August 2022 at 8:00 p.m. until further notice, night-time navigation is not permitted on the border Oder River (from km 690.5 to km 704.1), the East Oder River (from km 704.1 to km 730.5), the Regalica River (from km 730.5 to km 741.6), the West Oder River (from km 0.0 to km 36.6), Lake Dąbie and other inland waterways in the Szczecin Water Junction.

Dams located in the non-navigable spans of the Gryfitów and Cłowy bridges will be marked in accordance with navigational regulations (prohibition of passage). Daytime navigation will be allowed only through middle spans of the bridges.

It is necessary to exercise extreme caution when navigating the West Oder River during the daytime! (dam at km 14.1 – Mescherin)

At the same time, we would like to inform that **as of 14 August 2022 at 2:00 p.m., the following section of the waterway on the Border Oder River and the East Oder River is CLOSED TO NAVIGATION:**

km 690.5 of the Oder River – area of the bridge in Krajnik Dolny to km 728.0 of the km 728.0 of the East Oder River – area of the A6 motorway bridge (Radziszewo).

The area closed to navigation is marked according to navigational regulations.

The navigation ban does not apply to services taking part in the river cleaning operation.

The above notice shall be effective until further notice.

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Director
of PGW WP RZGW Szczecin

For more information concerning navigational conditions, please contact the Operational Centre from Monday to Friday, between 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (phone: 91 44 11 257), or visit the website: <https://szczecin.wody.gov.pl/komunikaty-nawigacyjne>

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