

Declaration That the Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Order 2009 Does Not Apply to Certain Vessels Participating in a Regatta Off Takapuna Beach in November 2015

Where section 12(6) of the Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Act 1996 empowers the Minister of Transport to declare that an Order in Council made under that section does not apply in respect of a specified ship or class of ship;

And where, pursuant to section 441 of the Maritime Transport Act 1994, the Minister of Transport, by an instrument of delegation dated 19 March 1997, did delegate those powers, under section 12 of the Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Act 1996, to Maritime New Zealand;

And where, pursuant to section 442 of the Maritime Transport Act 1994, Maritime New Zealand, by an instrument of delegation dated 20 December 2010, did delegate those powers, under section 12 of the Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Act 1996, to the Director of Maritime New Zealand:

Therefore I, Keith Manch, Director of Maritime New Zealand, hereby declare that the Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Order 2009 does not apply in relation to "Area 2 - Hauraki Gulf" in the schedule of protected areas to that Order, during the period starting on 17 November 2015 and ending on 29 November 2015 (inclusive), to any anchoring by the following ships with the following anchors:

- Vessel: *Theta* (keeler), with "Manson" anchor (25kg) and "CQR" anchor (25kg);
- Vessel: *Zella*, with "Manson Ray" anchor (10kg);
- Vessel: *Manly RIB*, with "Danforth" anchor (10kg);
- Vessel: *Golden Pond* (keeler), with "Manson" anchor (10 kg) and "Manson" anchor (20kg).

This notice comes into effect on **17 November 2015**.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of November 2015.

KEITH MANCH, Director of Maritime New Zealand.