

ADVISORY NOTICE

THE PORT OF POINTE-À-PIERRE IS DECLARED A RESTRICTED ZONE

In accordance with the Shipping (Ship and Port Facility) Security Regulations 2004, the Port of Pointe-à-Pierre has been declared a restricted zone.

Port Facility Physical Characteristics:

Port Limits

The port is defined and extends to "such part of the Gulf of Paria bounded by an imaginary line as follows: To the south of latitude 10° 18.5' North from the mainland due West to longitude 61° 35.2' West thence North to latitude 10° 21.5' North thence East to longitude 61° 30.7' West thence South to latitude 10° 20.5' North thence due East to the mainland."

Anchorage information

The Pointe-à-Pierre general anchorage area is West of the pipeline jetties. It offers safe anchorage and good holding in the roadstead. On the account of Pierre Shoal, a 21' patch about 1.75 cables SW of the head of the Main Viaduct, vessels of moderate draft should approach with the main viaduct jetty head FL (4) 10s bearing more than 105° True. The main viaduct consists of pipelines supported by reinforced concrete piling and extends in a WSW direction 6,190' from shore to the jetty head, latitude 10° 18.8' North and 61° 28.8' West.

Prohibited Anchorage

- Within a quarter mile on either side of the submarine pipeline which runs from position 10° 20.4' North and 61° 31.6 West to location 10° 19.69 North and 61° 29.32 West.
- Within a quarter mile extending south of the structure in location 10° 19.69 North, 61° 29.32 West and Number 5 Berth.
- Within a quarter mile on either side of the pipelines from Number 5 Berth to a position on the pipeline viaduct 10° 19.05' North, 61° 28.27 West.

Fishing or Fishing Vessels

No fishing or unauthorised activities are allowed within 100 metres of the port infrastructure.

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