

## MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE

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Shipping Community Harbour Craft Community Pleasure Craft Community

## **ADVISORY FROM THE NATIONAL PARKS BOARD (NPARKS)**

Please refer to the attached advisory from the National Parks Board (NParks) on Turtle Nesting Season in Annex.

Thank you.

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# **National Parks Board**

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Dear Shipping, Harbour Craft and Pleasure Craft Communities,

### **Turtle Nesting Season**

Singapore is home to two species of turtles – the Hawksbill turtle and the Green turtle. The Hawksbill turtle is critically endangered according to the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Red List.

These marine reptiles typically inhabit shallow coastal waters and must regularly surface for air. During the nesting season, which occurs annually from May to September, the Hawksbill turtle comes ashore to nest along our coastlines. For more information about Hawksbill turtles, please visit the National Parks Board website at <a href="https://www.nparks.gov.sg/avs/animals/wildlife-in-singapore/hawksbill-turtles">https://www.nparks.gov.sg/avs/animals/wildlife-in-singapore/hawksbill-turtles</a>.

Port users navigating our waters are advised to maintain vigilance for turtles surfacing in the vicinity.

Thank you.

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