



MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE

PORT MARINE NOTICE
NO. 38 OF 2026

06 Mar 2026

Shipping Community
Harbour Craft Community
Pleasure Craft Community

FIBRE OPTIC CABLE LAYING OPERATION OFF ST JOHN'S ISLAND

Applicable to: Mariners operating in the vicinity of St John's Island off Lazarus Island

This PMN supersedes Port Marine Notice No. 119 of 2025. The working period has been extended, the list of craft has been revised.

Date : With effect from 06 Mar 2026 to 05 Sep 2026.

Location : At sea, within the working area bounded by the following co-ordinates (see attached chartlet):

<u>Point</u>	<u>Latitude (N)</u>	<u>Longitude (E)</u>
1	01°12·860'	103°51·160'
2	01°12·936'	103°51·122'
3	01°13·225'	103°51·107'
4	01°13·332'	103°51·155'
5	01°13·217'	103°51·240'
6	01°13·127'	103°51·167'
7	01°12·982'	103°51·333'

Working Hours : 24 hours daily, including Sundays and Public Holidays.

Craft :

Name	Harbour Craft Licence No.	Description
GALAXEA	SR 3049Z	WORK BOAT

HELIOS I	SR 3655B	WORK BOAT
HELIOS S1	SR 4086Z	WORK BOAT / SAFETY BOAT

These craft will exhibit the appropriate local and international day and night signals.

Details : A 3 km fibre optic cable, 5 mm in diameter, will be laid on the seabed paired with an 8 mm sinker polyester-lead rope. Divers will be deployed as required to make adjustments to the cable route.

Safety boat will be in attendance to warn and direct craft in the vicinity to keep clear of the working area.

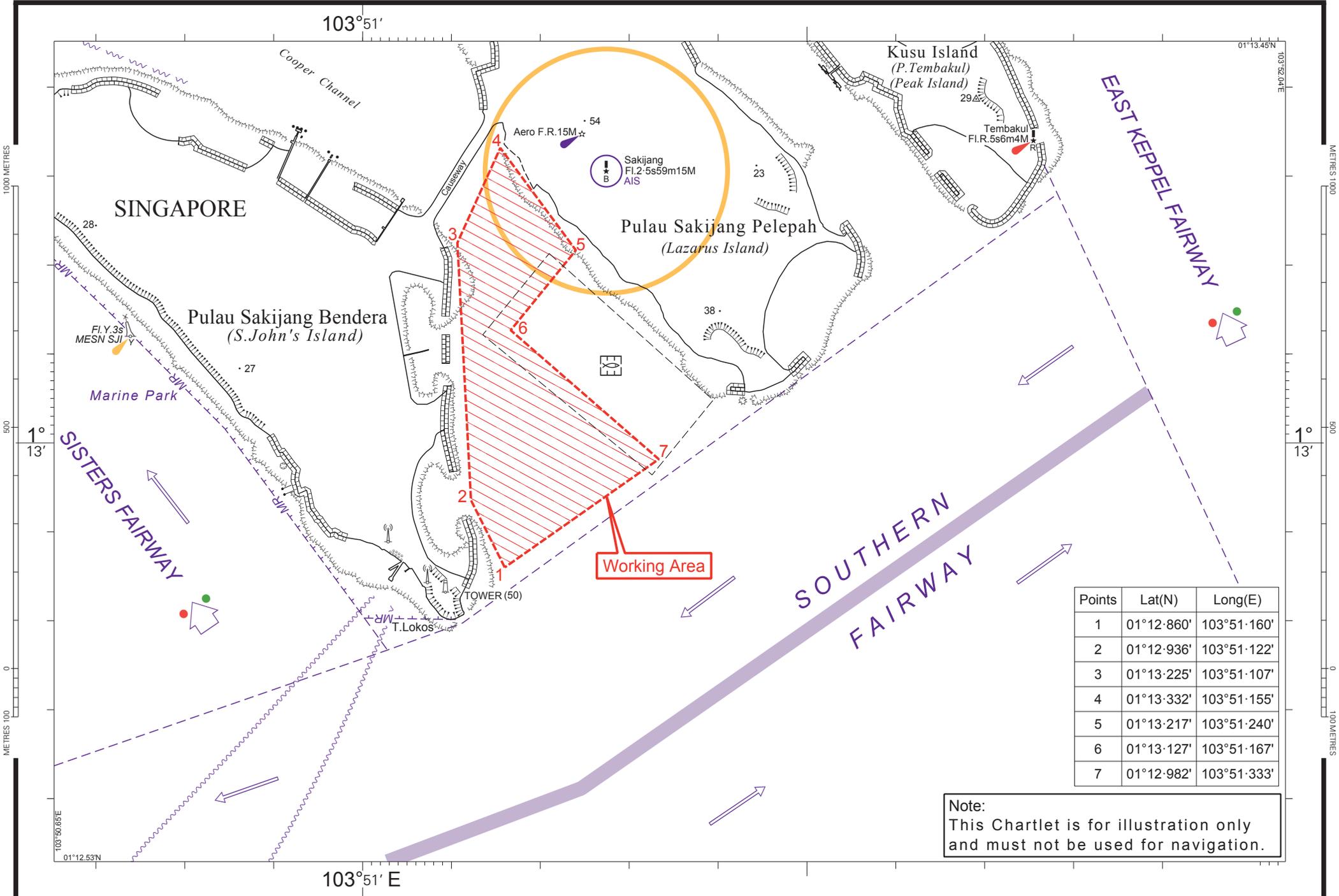
Further enquiries relating to the project can be directed to Venugopalan Pallayil, Project Manager at Tel: 81471997 Email: venu@nus.edu.sg

Caution : **When in the vicinity of the working area, mariners are reminded to:**

- a) **Keep well clear of the working area;**
- b) **Maintain a proper lookout;**
- c) **Proceed at a safe speed and navigate with caution;**
- d) **Maintain a listening watch on VHF Channel 12 (Eastern Control); and Communicate with Eastern Control for assistance, if required.**

Please call Capt. Yeap Chee Kah at Tel: +65 6325 2462 or Marine Safety Control Centre (MSCC) Duty Officer at +65 6325 2488/2489 for clarification on this Port Marine Notice.

CAPT CHONG JIA CHYUAN
PORT MASTER
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Note:
This Chartlet is for illustration only
and must not be used for navigation.