



Harbour Masters Notice

St Ives Harbour

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Refuelling with, and storage of, Petrol

Vessel operators are instructed that with immediate effect, the following procedure applies to vessels refuelling with petrol in quantities greater than 10 litres.

Refuelling may only take place at the outer ladder on Smeatons Pier, or whilst at anchor a minimum of 50 metres from any other vessel or structure.

If refuelling alongside the ladder, then an exclusion zone must be created on the quay adjacent to the top of the ladder. This zone must be a minimum size of 5m x 5m and must be sufficient to keep members of the public clear of the refuelling and have warning signs 'Petroleum Spirit – No smoking, No naked lights'.

When transporting petrol, the 'Carriage of Dangerous Goods' regulations must be followed. Petrol may be brought onto the harbour for the purpose of refuelling a vessel. Petrol containers (either full or empty) must not be left on the harbour for longer than necessary to refuel the vessel.

Mike Ridgway
Harbour Master

