

SUBJECT: BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS

U.S.C.G. SECTOR LAKE MICHIGAN BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS M000-09
IL - CHICAGO SANITARY AND SHIP CANAL - MILE MARKER 296.0

1. THE COAST GUARD HAS ESTABLISHED A SAFETY ZONE ON THE CHICAGO SANITARY AND SHIP CANAL BETWEEN MILE MARKERS 296.0 AND 296.7 IN THE VICINITY OF THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS ELECTRICAL DISPERSAL BARRIER TO FACILITATE SAFETY TESTING. THIS PORTION OF THE CANAL WILL BE CLOSED TO ALL VESSEL TRAFFIC BEGINNING AT 1700 ON AUGUST 17TH, 2009. ONCE THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS SAFETY TESTING IS COMPLETED AND THE RESULTS ARE ANALYZED, THE CAPTAIN OF THE PORT WILL ISSUE A BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS NOTIFYING THE PUBLIC OF FURTHER INTENTIONS.

2. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR FOR FURTHER DETAILS, CONTACT THE ON-SCENE CAPTAIN OF THE PORT REPRESENTATIVE VIA CHANNEL 16 VHF OR SECTOR LAKE MICHIGAN AT (414) 747-7182.