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Australia – Victoria**No. 483 (T) - 2024****PORT OF MELBOURNE
EASTERN BY-PASS CHANNEL
BEACON 9 EXCLUSION ZONE****Date:** 12 November 2024**Refers:** N/A**Details:** Mariners are advised that debris on the sea floor has been identified in the **Eastern By-pass Channel** in the vicinity of Beacon 9.

Beacon	Number	Characteristic	Position
9	K 2338-2	Fl (2) G.4s	37° 53.187' S 144° 55.745' E

A temporary **20m exclusion zone** extending to the north, east and south of **beacon 9** has been established for **commercial vessels (SOLAS)**, including the bunker vessel (reference chartlet).

Mariners are advised to navigate with additional caution in the vicinity of Beacon 9.

For further information, please contact Melbourne VTS on 9644 9700 / VHF channel 12 or email the Navigation Services department at NavigationServices@ports.vic.gov.au.


**Charts &
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affected:**

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Further notice: Further notice will be issued.



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