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Notice to Skippers no. 4.3 / 2023

Pursuant to Art. 14 1(4) of the Act of July 20, 2017. - Water Law
(Journal of Laws of 2022, item 2625 as amended)
and Art. 43 (6) of the Act of December 21, 2000 on inland navigation
(Journal of Laws of 2022, item 1097, as amended)

**State Water Holding Polish Waters
Regional Water Management Board in Bydgoszcz**

informs that as a result of hydrological warning no. 10 issued by IMGW - PIB concerning the occurrence of a hydrological drought on the free-flowing lower Noteć River, where a continuing downward tendency in water levels has been recorded, resulting in a deterioration of the navigational situation, **the crossing through the weir channel and the shipping span on Krzyż barrage is closed as of May 31, 2023**. Transit depth gradients of up to 30-60 cm in the aforementioned section prevented the safe passage of vessels.

Notice to Skippers no. 4.2/2023 of April 28, 2023, is no longer valid.

Due to the above, Notice to Skippers no. 4/2023 of April 14, 2023 is still in force, which informs that Lock No. 22 Krzyż at km 176+200 of the lower Noteć River waterway, on the Vistula - Oder waterway junction, remains out of service until July 10, 2023, in connection with the implementation of the task titled "Repair of outer harbours at the Krzyż Lock". The current condition of the lock does not allow vessels to cross in both directions.

In order to obtain detailed information on shipping conditions, please contact, from Monday to Friday, from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. the RWMB in Bydgoszcz (tel. +48 532 033 484) or consult the news published on the website: bydgoszcz.wody.gov.pl under the Notices to Skippers tab.