

# PACIFIC PILOTAGE AUTHORITY

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## NOTICE TO INDUSTRY

**Date Issued:** 03 August 2011

**Notice Number:** 02/2011  
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**Subject:** Amended Pilot Boarding Procedures for Vessels Calling at Victoria, BC

**Geographic Area:** Approaches to Victoria Harbour (Ogden Point A and B)

**Specific Location:** Pilot Boarding Station at Brotchie Ledge, Victoria, BC

### Details:

Due to concerns over the navigational safety of vessels arriving at Brotchie pilot station, in bound to Ogden Point A and B, the PPA would like to remind vessels' masters that the following procedures must be adhered to:

- (1) **The pilot will board two (2) miles south of the 'VH' buoy.**
- (2) Vessels arriving for a pilot are to remain **two (2) miles** south of the 'VH' buoy if the pilot boarding is delayed.
- (3) After the pilot has boarded, the vessel is to remain south of the 'VH' buoy until the Bridge Resource Management (BRM) discussion has taken place.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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*If there are any questions or concerns regarding this notice please contact the Director Marine Operations at (604) 666-6771 or via email at [marineops@ppa.gc.ca](mailto:marineops@ppa.gc.ca) or via mail to the above address.*