

PORT OF BLYTH

ENGLAND - EAST COAST  
BLYTH  
ADMIRALTY CHART NO 1626

## NOTICE TO MARINERS NO. 15-2026 GENERAL NOTICE TO PORT USERS

### **Dead ship / Project Tows & Non-Routine Towage**

Ship owners, towage contractors, tug masters, project managers and agents are advised that the person responsible for the safety and planning of such manoeuvres (and thereby acting as Towing Master) must be clearly identified and responsible for the production of risk assessments, method statements and passage plans, which must be discussed and agreed in advance with the Harbour Authority.

A Non-Routine Towage Assessment form must be submitted to the Port of Blyth in advance for consideration by the Harbour Master or his Deputy.

This should be sent by email to [marine@portofblyth.co.uk](mailto:marine@portofblyth.co.uk)

Once details of the operation have been received, discussed and agreed, written approval from the Harbour Master or his Deputy will be provided on this form.

Copies of the form are available from Blyth Port Control, or can be downloaded from the Port of Blyth website [www.portofblyth.co.uk](http://www.portofblyth.co.uk)

### **By Order of**

Edwin Dick  
Harbour Master

06/01/2026

### **Please contact Blyth Port Control for the latest information:**

Vhf: Ch. 12  
Tel: 01670 357020  
Email: [marine@portofblyth.co.uk](mailto:marine@portofblyth.co.uk)