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### NOTICE TO SKIPPERS No. 47/2021

#### Re.: renovation of the railroad bridge in Nietkowice at km 490.5 of the Oder river - extension of the works completion deadline

Pursuant to Art. 14 sec. 1(4) of the Act of 20 July 2017 – Water Law (Dz. U. /Journal of Laws/ of 2020, item 310, 284, 695, 782, 875) and Art. 43 sec. 6 of the Act of 21 December 2000 on inland navigation (Dz. U. /Journal Of Laws/ of 2019, item 1568, 1901, 2170, and of 2020, item 284.),

State Water Holding "Polish Waters" Regional Water Management Board in Wrocław, with reference to the Notice to Skippers 13/2021, informs that the deadline for the completion of renovation of the railroad bridge in Nietkowice at km 490.5 of the Oder river has been tentatively extended to **the end of October 2021**. Until then, two temporary supports remain erected **to narrow the width of the existing navigation span to 32.5 m**. The clearance under the bridge remains unchanged. Construction of the supports will be carried out upstream by hydro units, which will also be used to renovate the crossing.

Due to ongoing work, all vessels wishing to pass through the designated area are required to notify, 4 hours before the passage, **NAVIGAR 5**, the works unit (**phone: 601-855-645; UKF channel 10**) or the **bridge works manager (phone: 575-226-567 or 785 712 008)** to allow the equipment to be moved out of the navigation route. Two kilometres before the bridge, the unit leader must obtain confirmation that the route is passable and safe. In the absence of such confirmation, please refrain from further sailing and notify **the bridge works manager (tel. 575-226-567) and State Water Holding "Polish Waters" (tel. 601-269-499 lub 606-346-833)**.

Passage through the designated section is permitted only during daylight hours under conditions of good visibility.

A detailed deadline for completion of the work and restoration of the bridge's navigability will be announced separately.

Notice to Skippers 13/2021 is repealed.

Current information concerning the hydrological and navigational situation on the Oder River (navigation updates) is available on the website of the National Water Management Holding "Wody Polskie" –Regional Water Management Board in Wrocław, in the folder [CLIENT AREA - Hydrological and navigational situation](#). For more information, please contact the Operations Centre of the State Water Holding Polish Waters – Regional Water Management Board in Wrocław, which is available on weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 71 32 80 587.