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NOTICE TO SKIPPERS no. 28/2023

Regarding: Temporary closure of the Opatowice lock - a gate failure

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

State Water Holding Polish Waters Regional Water Management Board in Wrocław informs that due to the failure of the gate, the Oława lock has been closed to shipping since September 08, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

We ask all the Oder Waterway users to take the resulting situation into account in their navigation plans.

Information on when the lock will be opened will be announced in a separate notice to skippers.

Current information on the hydrological and navigational situation on the Oder River (shipping information) is available on the website of SWH PW RWMB Wrocław, in the tab <u>CUSTOMER'S ZONE - Hydrological and navigational situation</u>. For further information, you can contact the Operations Centre of SWH PW RWMB in Wrocław on working days from 08:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. by phone: 71 32 80 587.