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Dear Sir

## THOMAS GUNN TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED TGT e- DATA

Further to your submission, in which you sought the views of the Maritime and Coastguard Agency (MCA) on the Thomas Gunn chart management system service for the purpose of updating paper chart and nautical publication and the distribution of Admiralty Notices to Mariners in digital format using the dedicated TGT e Data 1.0 Service via Internet or e-mail communication.

On the basis of our meeting at MCA Headquarters and the supplementary information provided with your letter of enquiry, I am pleased to advise you that the MCA recognise your TGT e Data Service as satisfying the carriage requirement for Notices to Mariners under Regulation 19.2.1.4 of Chapter V of the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) Convention and the corresponding Merchant Shipping (Safety of Navigation) Regulations 2002.

This recognition is given on the basis that the weekly edition of the Admiralty Notices to Mariners is provided in its entirety (Parts I - VI) and in a read-only format that cannot be altered by end-users, and complies with the terms of the UK Hydrographic Office license.

Please sign below as acknowledgement of the above and return the signed copy to the MCA.

Yours faithfully

Capt Paul Townsend

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