

06.05.2021

Restrictions to Navigation

	Harbour/District	At least dwt/hp/kW	Ice Class	Begin
Finland	Tornio, Kemi, Oulu and Raahe	2000 dwt	I	05.05.
	Kalajoki	2000 dwt	IB	03.05.
	Kokkola	2000 dwt	II	16.04.
	Pietarsaari	-	cancelled	05.05.
Sweden	Karlsborg and Luleå	2000 dwt	IC	03.05.
	Haraholmen and Skelleftehamn	2000 dwt	II	03.05.

Information of the Icebreaker Services

Finland

Vessels bound for Gulf of Bothnia ports in which assistance restrictions apply, shall when passing latitude 60°00' N report their nationality, name, port of destination, ETA and speed to ICE INFO on VHF channel 78. This report can also be given directly by telephone to +46 10 492 7600.

Vessels bound for a Finnish or Swedish ports in the Quark or in the Bay of Bothnia shall report to Bothnia VTS 20 nautical miles before Nordvalen Lighthouse (63° 32.15' N 20° 46.60' E) on VHF channel 67.

Icebreaker: OTSO and POLARIS assist in the Bay of Bothnia.

Sweden

Icebreaker: ALE assists in the Bay of Bothnia.