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**Title:** Jelly Fish Swarms - Sea Strainer cleaning.  
**Port:** All Primary and Secondary Ports.  
**References:** N/A  
**Duration:** 31st January 2025 to 31st March 2025.

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### Details:

An abundance of jelly fish have been sighted in numerous ports around Tasmania.

Masters on vessels arriving, departing and operating in Tasmanian Ports are reminded to ensure that both upper and lower sea strainers (where fitted) are kept cleaned and immediately available for changeover in the event of a blockage of the sea strainer in use.

Any required cooling water system checks are to be undertaken as per the vessels onboard Safety Management System and Machinery Cooling Water management procedures.

It is expected that the jelly fish concentrations will reduce into Autumn and the cooler months however additional vigilance is required during these observed swarm events.

*Electronically authorised*

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