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Dear Sir/Madam

**STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE – THE RIVER HAMBLE HARBOUR AUTHORITY**

Reference:

A. Marine Information Note (MIN) 641 (M) – Port Marine Safety Code Compliance for 2021-2024.

The Reference requires the Duty Holder of Statutory Harbour Authorities, private ports and other marine facilities to send a signed statement of continued compliance with the Port Marine Safety Code before 31 March 2021.

The River Hamble Harbour Board is the Duty Holder for the River Hamble Harbour Authority. As Chairman of the Harbour Board, I confirm that all the requirements of the Port Marine Safety Code, including reviewing the risk assessments and Marine Safety Management System are being met and hereby certify that the River Hamble Harbour Authority meets the standards required by the Code.

Compliance was audited most recently by the Harbour Authority's Designated Person, Captain Andrew Langford on 18 November 2020. His report concludes that:

'As a consequence of this audit and subject to the findings in this report we can continue to independently assure the Duty Holder that the Marine Safety Management System (MSMS) for which they are collectively and individually responsible, continues to operate effectively'.

Yours faithfully

Councillor Keith Evans

Chairman, River Hamble Harbour Board

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