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Obligation to use pilot in the Skagen Road Area

The Skagen Road Area is part of the Danish Territorial Waters. Ships sailing through or anchoring in the Skagen Road Area are according to article 4 of the Danish Pilotage Act under an obligation to us pilot, if the ships:

1) are loaded with oil or have un-cleaned cargo holds that are not secured by inactive air;
2) are loaded with chemicals;
3) are loaded with gases;
4) have more than 5,000 tonnes of bunker oil onboard; or
5) are loaded with highly radioactive material.

Whereas sailing in International Waters (e.g. Route T) as well as sailing in The North Sea and Skagerrak:

a) West of 10°39'E, when the ship's distance to the base line is greater than 3 nautical miles; and
b) in the area north of 57°47'N and 10°46'E from west (270°) to south-east (145°).

is covered by a recommendation to use pilot, any sailing in the Skagen Road Area for the ships mentioned is covered by article 4, thus requiring pilotage.

Best regards, DanPilot

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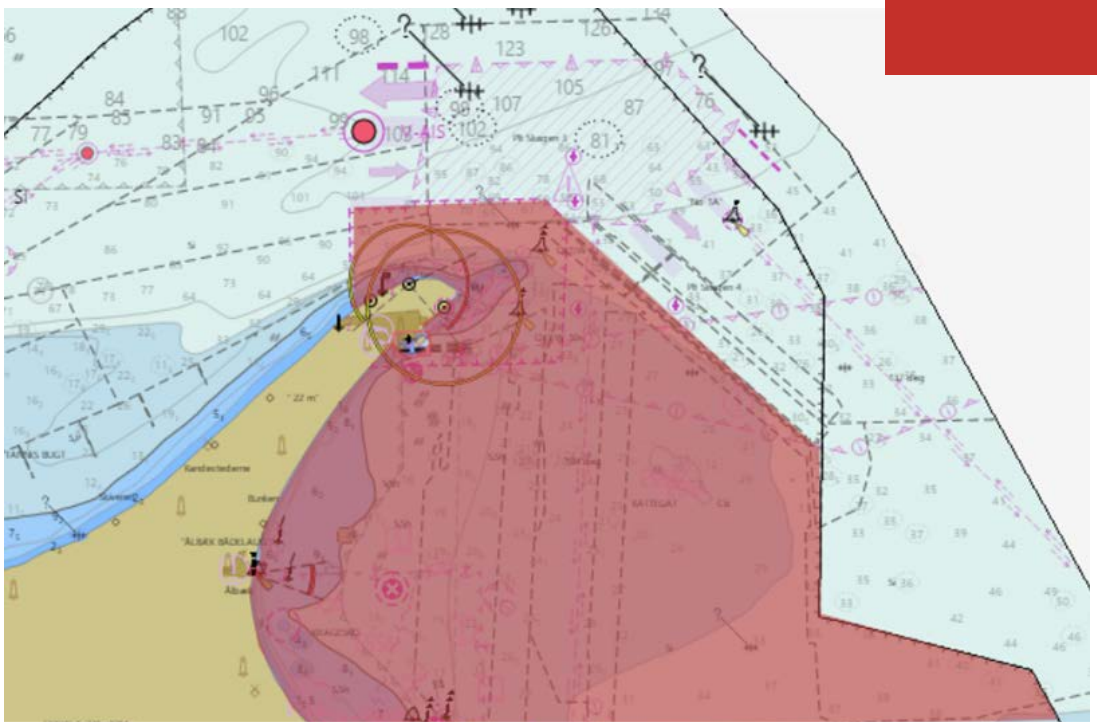

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