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## WARNING NOTICE UPDATE

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**DATE OF UPDATE 01/08/2024** 

WATERWAY AVON NAVIGATION

LOCATION STRENSHAM LOCK

**DESCRIPTION & TYPE OF** 

**WARNING** 

Following a significant impact by a large vessel to Strensham bottom gate, house side. Underwater damage to the cill, foundation

and gate has occurred.

**DURATION** Until further notice

## **UPDATED NAVIGATION & SPECIAL NOTES**

Follow a survey of the damage to the bottom gate, pivot and cill.

We have discovered an operating method that limits the leak.

The bottom gate on the field side should be closed first.

The bottom gate on the house should be closed second.

By closing the gates in this order limits the leak.

We will continue to undertake above water works to try and improve the leak and keep the lock open until the end of the season.

The lock takes longer to fill than normal.

The lock will need to be dewatered to conduct full repair in the out of season period.

Up to date information regarding this notice may be obtained from the ANT office:

Tel: 01386 552517

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