NAVIGATION REGULATION
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on emergency navigational regime on the waterways of the Slovak Republic

In connection with the danger of public health of II. level due to the COVID-19 illness caused by the SARS-CoV-2 coronavirus on the territory of the Slovak Republic, pursuant to § 39 (o) (1) and (2) of the Inland Navigation Act No. 338/2000 as amended, the Transport Authority issues this navigation regulation, by which

from 13.03.2020 07:00 a.m. until further notice,

all passenger cabin vessels are forbidden to land, berth and anchor on the Danube waterway and its navigable tributaries. Passenger cabin vessels are allowed to navigate through the territory of the Slovak Republic in transit mode only.

All cargo vessels not intending to load, unload or transship the goods are forbidden to land and berth in ports and berths on the Danube waterway and its navigable tributaries. Cargo vessels navigating in transit mode are allowed to use the anchorages on the Danube waterway and its navigable tributaries only when necessary to observe the working regime of the vessel crew. The vessels‘ crews are forbidden to disembark.

All cargo vessels of which the destination is port or berth on the territory of the Slovak Republic are allowed to load, unload or transship in the ports and berths without limitations.

The vessel navigating on the waterways, as well as in the ports and berths of the Slovak Republic are forbidden to change the crews.

Organizing and carrying out cruises on the waterways of the Slovak Republic is prohibited.

The rights and obligations resulting from other generally obligatory regulations are not affected by this navigation regulation.

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