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Notice to Skippers No. 14/2022

Pursuant to Art. 14 sec. 1 point 4 of the Act of 20 July 2017 Water Law (consolidated text: Dz.U./Journal of Laws/ of 2021, item 624) and Art. 43 sec. 6 of the Act of 21 December 2000 on inland navigation (consolidated text Dz.U./Journal of Laws/ of 2019, item 1568, as amended), the "Polish Waters" State Water Holding – Regional Water Management Board in Białystok hereby informs that:

as of 1 July 2022, the Augustów Canal waterway from the Sosnówek sluice (km 70+300) to the Kudrynki sluice (km 77+400) will be open for navigation.

Navigation is allowed at the following minimum waterway depths:

Waterway section	Kilometre [km]	Waterway depth [cm]
SW Sosnówek – SW Tartak	70+300 - 74+400	90
SW Tartak — SW Kudrynki	74+400 - 77+400	120

Operation time of navigation locks:

Lock	Kilometre [km]	Operation time
Tartak	70+300	10.00 a.m 6.00 p.m.
Kudrynki	77+400	10.00 a.m 6.00 p.m.

ATTENTION! The last locking starts 30 minutes before closing the lock.

At the same time, the Kurzyniec sluice remains closed. We would like to remind you that according to Regulation No. 3/2022 of the Governor of the Podlaskie Voivodeship dated 15 June 2022, a ban has been introduced on staying within 200 m from the state border with the Republic of Belarus from 1 July 2022 to 15 September 2022.

For more information on navigational conditions, please contact the Augustów Basin Management from Monday to Friday between 7:00-15:00 (tel. 87 643 28 07) or the Hydrotechnical Facility Manager (tel. 532 032 726) or refer to the news published on the website: bialystok.water.gov.pl in the "Notices to Skippers" tab.

State Water Holding – Polish Waters (Państwowe Gospodarstwo Wodne "Wody Polskie")