

Pilotage Review Working Party

The Terms of Reference for the Harbour Committee state that the Committee should:-

1. Establish any sub-committee or working parties as the Committee sees fit and;
2. To act as Duty Holder for the purposes of the Port Marine Safety Code

Tor Bay Harbour Authority is a *Competent Harbour Authority* within the meaning of the Pilotage Act 1987 which states that

“Each Competent Harbour Authority shall keep under consideration ...whether any, and if so, what pilotage services need to be provided to secure the safety of the ships navigating in or in the approaches to its harbour”

It is therefore appropriate for the Harbour Committee to establish a Pilotage Review Working Party.

In June 2018 it was resolved that a Pilotage Review Working Party, comprising of two of the External Advisors (Mr Buckpitt and Mr Stewart) be appointed to work alongside Officers to review the Pilotage arrangements for Tor Bay Harbour and to recommend to the Harbour Committee any amendments to the Pilotage Directions as and when appropriate.

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