

Marine Safety Information Bulletin 32-20 September 22, 2020 Tropical Storm Beta RESCIND PORT CONDITION ZULU

The latest National Weather Service (NWS) advisory states that Beta has weakened to a tropical depression and is not expected to strengthen again.

Therefore, effective at 2:00 P.M. CDT, September 22, 2020, the Captain of the Port, Port Arthur (COTP) has rescinded Port Condition ZULU for the ports of Beaumont, TX; Port Arthur, TX; Orange, TX; Sabine, TX; and Lake Charles, LA including all tributaries and connecting waterways.

Port Condition Recovery (Open with Restrictions) remains in effect for the Calcasieu Channel and Calcasieu River as described in MSU Port Arthur MSIB 27-20.

Although waterways are open to traffic, continued thunderstorms and significant rainfall are expected over the next several days. Mariners are advised to monitor weather forecasts closely and take appropriate measures. VTS Port Arthur will issue Advisories regarding significant local weather or hydrological conditions.

The Coast Guard will issue a Broadcast Notice to Mariners and Marine Safety Information Bulletins updating Port Conditions as needed.

This notice will be posted on the Coast Guard's HOMEPORT website at https://homeport.uscg.mil and the VTS website at https://www.atlanticarea.uscg.mil/vtsportarthur/. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call MSU Port Arthur at (409) 723-6500 or MSU Lake Charles at (337) 912-0073.

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