

**Larne Port** and the **Port of Cairnryan Ltd** has appointed an independent Designated Person to monitor compliance with the requirements of the Port Marine Safety Code. Larne Port and the Port of Cairnryan Ltd are Statutory Harbour Authorities, Local Lighthouse Authorities and Competent Harbour Authorities within the meaning of the Pilotage Act. The Designated Person (PMSC) for the PLA is:

*Adam Fitzpatrick of ABP Marine Environmental Research Ltd*

All port and harbour users, including Harbour Authority staff have direct access to the Designated Person. Concerns regarding marine safety in the port or harbour, in the first instance, should be raised with the relevant Harbour Master (or for Authority staff with your direct line manager). If additional, independent advice regarding the matter is required, any reasonable concerns can be brought to the attention of the Designated Person by any of the following methods:

**Designated Person Contact Details:**

By email: [DP.Larne@abpmer.co.uk](mailto:DP.Larne@abpmer.co.uk)

By post: Designated Person (PMSC) 'Larne Port and Cairnryan Port'  
ABPmer  
Quayside Suite, Medina Chambers  
Town Quay  
SOUTHAMPTON  
Hampshire  
SO14 2AQ

By telephone: 07872487965 or 023 8071 1889

The Designated Person and the Maritime Team at ABPmer:

- have detailed knowledge of the Port Marine Safety Code, the Guide to Good Practice for Port Marine Operations and accompanying Competency Standards;
- provide independent assurance to the Duty Holder that the marine safety management system required by the Port Marine Safety Code is working effectively; and
- at regular intervals, audit the Harbour Authority's compliance with the Code.

The Designated Person has direct access to the Duty Holder whenever this is deemed necessary.