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WEATHER BULLETIN FOR COASTAL WATERS UP TO 50 NAUTICAL MILES SEAWARD.  
ISSUED BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN WEATHER SERVICE ON THE  
22<sup>nd</sup> of September 2020 AT 13:00 UTC.

FORECAST VALID FROM 222200 to 232200 UTC:

WIND IN KNOTS, WAVE HEIGHTS IN METRES. NO SEA STATE GIVEN IF WAVES LESS  
THAN 2M.

NOTE THE WIND SPEEDS QUOTED HERE ARE THE EXPECTED AVERAGE SPEEDS.  
INDIVIDUAL GUSTS MAY EXCEED THESE VALUES BY A FACTOR OF UP TO 1.5.  
WAVE HEIGHTS ARE SIGNIFICANT WAVE HEIGHTS WHICH MAY BE ACCOMPANIED BY  
INDIVIDUAL WAVES 1.5 TO 2.0 TIMES HIGHER.

THESE ESTIMATES OF WINDS AND WAVES DO NOT TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE ENHANCING  
EFFECTS OF THE AGULHAS CURRENT OFF THE SOUTH AFRICAN EAST COAST.

NOTE: WX OBSERVATIONS.

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COULD ALL VESSELS EXPERIENCING UNEXPECTED, SEVERE WX/SEA STATE PLEASE MAKE  
EVERY EFFORT TO REPORT THIS TO SAWS VIA CAPE TOWN RADIO.

ALERTS:

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WARNINGS:

- 1. Poor visibility expected in fog between Cunene River and Luderitz, as  
well as between Cape Agulhas and Mossel Bay at first.

WATCHES:

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Nil.

SEVERE WEATHER ADVISORIES:

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Nil.

ABNORMAL WAVE CONDITIONS:

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Nil.

AREA FORECAST

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CUNENE RIVER TO WALVIS BAY:

WIND : Variable 05 to 10.  
VIS : Good, but poor in fog patches at first.

WALVIS BAY TO ORANGE RIVER:

WIND : S to SE 10 to 20, but variable 05 in the north of Luderitz.

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VIS : Good, but poor in fog patches at first north of Luderitz.  
SEA STATE: 2.0m at first, SSW swell.

ORANGE RIVER TO CAPE AGULHAS:  
WIND : SE 15 to 20, reaching 25 at times.  
VIS : Good.  
SEA STATE: 2.0 to 2.5m, SW swell.

CAPE AGULHAS TO EAST LONDON:  
WIND : Light and variable at first, otherwise SE 05 to 10.  
VIS : Good, but poor in fog west of Mossel Bay at first.  
SEA STATE: 2.0 to 3.0m, SW swell.

EAST LONDON TO MAPUTO:  
WIND : E to NE 15 to 25.  
VIS : Good.  
SEA STATE: 2.0 to 3.0m, S to SE swell.

MOZAMBIQUE CHANNEL:  
WIND : S to SE 15 to 25, but SW 10 to 20 in the north-east, becoming  
NE 10 to 20 in the south-west by the end of the period.  
VIS : Good.  
SEA STATE: 3.0m in the south-east, SW swell.

