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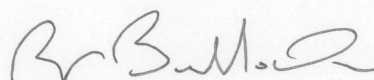
NAVIGATION NOTICE NO. 2013-NH-018

ATLANTIC CHANNELS,
RANGE 4

A hazard to navigation exists in the Atlantic Channels at Range 4 (authorized depth -7 ft.) near Atlantic, NC. Severe shoaling restricts the entire length and width of the Federal Navigation Channel between US Coast Guard buoys 24 & 27. Conditions in this channel are shallower than -2 ft at Mean Lower Low Water.

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed and proceed with extreme caution. The latest hydrographic survey information can be viewed and downloaded from the Wilmington District website: <http://www.saw.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/HydrographicSurveys/SideChannelsSmallHarbors.aspx>

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