

This investigation was conducted using predicted tides based on predictions at Rockland Harbor (Station No. 841-5490). Matinicus Island tide station (Station No. 841-4876), originally scheduled to be in operation during this investigation, was not utilized after being granted a waiver from Requirements Branch.

Smooth tides were requested from the Chief, Tides and Water Levels Branch (N/MO12) in a letter dated 7 September 1983. A copy of that letter is included in Appendix D. Smooth tides and settlement and squat correctors will be applied on the smooth sheet prepared by the <sup>Hydrographic Surveys Branch</sup> ~~Processing Division~~, Atlantic Marine Center (MOA23).