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Reference code: GB 0214 D576

Title: Trinity House Records

Dates : 1958-1998

Level of description: Fonds

Extent and medium: 0.02 cubic metres (112 sheets)

Name of creator(s): Trinity House, London

Administrative/biographical history

Trinity House was created in 1514 by Royal Charter granted by Henry VIII, and has three main functions:

-as the General Lighthouse Authority for England, Wales, the Channel Islands and Gibraltar, responsible for a range of general aids to navigation, from lighthouses to radar beacons.

-as a charitable organisation dedicated to the safety, welfare and training of mariners.

-as a Deep Sea Pilotage Authority, providing expert navigators for ships trading in Northern European waters.

Archival history

Unknown

Immediate source of acquisition

Donated by the Isle of Wight Heritage Service, Jun 2008.

Scope and content

Plans, equipment schedules, electrical and engineering drawings relating to Nash Point Lighthouse, near St Donats (1958-1998), and to Flatholm Lighthouse (1987).

Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information

All records which meet the collection policy of the Glamorgan Record Office have been retained.

Accruals

Accruals are not expected.

System of arrangement

Order at time of deposit retained.

Conditions governing access

No restrictions.

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Conditions governing reproduction

Normal Glamorgan Record Office conditions apply.

Language/scripts of material

English

Physical characteristics and technical requirements

Good condition

Finding aids

A detailed catalogue is not currently available.

Existence and location of originals

Not applicable

Existence and location of copies

Not applicable

Related units of description

Not applicable

Publication note

Not applicable

Note

Not applicable

Archivist's note

Compiled by Geoff Edwards for the Glamorgan Record Office, with reference to www.trinityhouse.co.uk (viewed 14 Aug 2008).

Rules or conventions

This description follows Glamorgan Record Office guidelines based on ISAD(G) compatible cataloguing guidelines for fonds level descriptions used by the Archives Network Wales.

Date of description

14 Aug 2008