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HER Number	Old SMR/HER Number	Record Type
1000/20/0		Maritime

Site Name Wreck Site of a Wooden Sailing Barge, HO9083

Summary A wooden sailing barge stranded on sands south east of Cleethorpes

Monument Types and Dates

WRECK (Late Post Medieval to Twentieth Century - 1712 AD to 2000 AD)
Evidence WRECKAGE

Description

Remains of wooden-hulled cargo vessel, probably a barge, which lies exposed in the inter-tidal zone on the Cleethorpes foreshore close SW of another similar wreck (908319), both of which lie east of a small creek or channel. She lies with her bows to the SW with a large pile of stones amidships, possibly cargo or ballast, and measures 28m long by 8m wide. The vessel may be post-medieval or 20th century, being first recorded in 1989. In this location the vessel is most likely to have been lost by stranding.

Mapped on Admiralty Charts and by the Hydrographic Office (1).

Examined at neap tide, April 2012 (c.0.8m). Heavily built, wood with steel pins and an apparent steel framework within the hold. The stones previously recorded are large chalk boulders, apparently filling the hold so are likely to be cargo rather than balast. Only part of the vessel was exposed, the stern section could not be seen. No outer hull timbers are apparent on the exposed sections, but ribs and ceiling planks are present along with a section of deck which has collapsed into the hold. The wood is solid, but badly attacked by boring creatures (3).

Sources

- (1) Digital archive: English Heritage. National Monuments Record. Record Number 908482.
- (2) Client Report: Humber Archaeology Partnership. 2008. Rapid Coastal Zone Assessment Survey. Yorkshire and Lincolnshire: Bampton to Donna Nook (Volumes 1-2). Reference CL133.
- (3) Unpublished document: North East Lincolnshire Archaeology Service. Site Visit. 07/04/2012.

National Grid Reference

TA 33763 07018 (point)	TA30NW	Point
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Administrative Areas

Non Parish Area	Humber Estuary - Intertidal
Parish	Cleethorpes, North East Lincolnshire

Associated Historic Landscape Character Records - None recorded

Associated Designations

Local Listed Asset (Ships and Wrecks)	Four Shipwrecks on Cleethorpes Foreshore	Active	DNL1066
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Finds - None recorded

Associated Events/Activities - None recorded

Related Monuments - None Recorded