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AFM Maritime Training with Dutch Navy Vessel HNLMS VAN AMSTEL

Mariners are informed that the Armed Forces of Malta (AFM), Maritime Squadron will be carrying out maritime training within Maltese Territorial Waters with the Dutch Naval Vessel HNLMS Van Amstel.

The exercise will be held within a circular area of 3 Nautical Mile Radius, centered on:

	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)	
A)	036° 01. 60'	014° 30. 00'	- EastCoast
B)	035° 43. 20'	014° 24. 50'	- South West Coast

The exact location will be determined on the day depending on the weather conditions.

The exercise will be held on:

1) Wednesday 16th March 2016 between 0800hrs and 1600hrs (0700hrs and 1500hrs - UTC)

2) Friday 18th March 2016 between 0800hrs and 1600hrs (0700hrs and 1500hrs – UTC)

In view of the above mariners are advised to give the exercise area a wide berth and comply with any instructions given by AFM patrol craft in the area.

Chart Affected: BA 194, 2124