



**Transport Malta**

**PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE**

## **NOTICE TO MARINERS NO 13 of 2017**

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### **Information & Promulgation of Notices to Mariners**

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta advises the public in general, local councils, government agencies, mariners and entities along the foreshore that the Harbour Master is to be notified as early as possible when new or suspected dangers to navigation are discovered or any changes to aids to navigation are observed within the territorial and internal waters of Malta, in any port and in the land and sea approaches to any port, and on wharves.

The above also applies when corrections to navigational charts or publications would appear to be necessary in relation to depths, navigational aids, facilities and other matters affecting the safety of navigation and shipping in general within the territorial and navigable waters of Malta.

In the case of pre-planned activities, including works along the foreshore or within the territorial and internal waters and ports and the approaches thereto, the Harbour Master is to be notified by not later than seven (7) working days prior to the date of the intended activity. This is to ensure that, if required, relevant Notices to Mariners are issued and promulgated through the Government Gazette in a timely manner and in conformity with legal requirements.

Observations are to be reported to:

**Preferably Via Valletta Ports Vessel Traffic Service (VALLETTA VTS)**

**Hours of Service: 24/7**

**Tel: (+356) 22914491/2**

**Email: [vts.tm@transport.gov.mt](mailto:vts.tm@transport.gov.mt)**

**VHF: Channel 12 / 14 / 16**

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**The Harbour Master  
Transport Malta  
Ports and Yachting Directorate  
Maritime Trade Centre  
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Marsa MRS 1917**

Mariners are further reminded that Weather Bulletin and Navigational Warnings are issued daily by Malta Radio (9HD) Maritime Coast Radio Station on VHF, MF/RT. For further details regarding Transmissions please contact Malta Radio on:

**Tel: (+356) 22 494202/3/4/5/6**

**Fax: (+356) 21 809860**

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This notice is to supersede Notice to Mariners No 03 of 2009.