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Security Exercises - 2016

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that Transport Malta (TM) together with the Armed Forces of Malta (AFM), will be organising Security Exercises within Maltese Territorial Waters.

The exercises will be held on the following dates and areas:

- 1) On Tuesday 15 November 2016, between 0800 hours and 1300 hours local time. The exercise will be held in the vicinity of Grand Harbour. Subject to weather conditions, exercise may be postponed to Wednesday 16 November 2016 at the same time.**
- 2) On Thursday 17 November 2016, between 0800 hours and 1300 hours local time. The exercise will be held inside Marsaxlokk Harbour. Subject to weather conditions, exercise may be postponed to Friday 18 November 2016 at the same time.**

In view of the above, mariners are advised to give the exercise areas a wide berth and comply with any instructions given by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) on VHF channel 12, Marsaxlokk Port Control (Marsaxlokk VTS) on VHF channel 14, and any security vessels in the area.

Chart Affected: BA 36, 177, 2537, 2538, 2124, 165