

PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

NOTICE TO MARINERS NO 42 of 2017

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Safe Distance from Special Mark buoys indicating a Wreck

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, would like to bring to the attention of all mariners that further to Notice to Mariners Nos. 32 of 2010, 23 of 2011, 19 of 2013, 13 of 2016 and 27 of 2017, the following is a consolidated list where a Special Mark Buoy has been placed with a consolidated safe distance.

LOCATION	WRECK	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)	CHARACTER
Wied iz-Zurrieq	Um el Faroud	35º 49'.126	014º 27'.002	FI.Y.
Off Xatt I-Ahmar (Gozo)	MV Xlendi Cominoland Karwela	36º 01'.009	014º 17'.159	Fl.Y.5s
Marsascala	Tug St. Michael Tug 10	35º 51'.956	014º 34'.526	FI.Y.
Off Qawra point	Imperial Eagle	35° 57'.812	014º 26'.035	FI.Y.5s
Off Cirkewwa	Rozi P29	35° 59'.310 35° 59'.430	014º 19'.560 014º 19'.540	FI.Y. FI.Y.
II-Matz (Comino)	P31	36º 00'.540	014º 19'.387	FI(2)5s
Exiles	Tug 2	35º 55'.228	014º 29'.927	FI.Y.





Mariners are to give a wide berth of not less than 100m from these Special Mark buoys which indicate a wreck. They are also to navigate at slow speed when in the vicinity of these Special Mark buoys.

Charts Affected: BA 177, 194, 211A, 211B, 2537, 2538

Positions are referred to WGS84 DATUM