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LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS NO 106 of 2018

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Restricted Areas round Malta due to danger of falling rocks

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta would like to bring to the attention of all mariners of the danger of falling rocks in caves and from cliff faces, due to the geological structure of the Maltese Islands.

Several Local Notice to Mariners have been issued to this effect and are listed below:

Local Notice to Mariners Nos.

- 58 of 2015 - Falling Rocks at il-Ponta ta' Dellimara.
- 02 of 2016 - Further to Not 30 of 2015 falling Rocks blue grotto
- 78 of 2016 - Restricted Area at il-Veccja - il-Bajja ta' San Pawl
- 17 of 2017 - Restricted Area at Qala tal-Ghazzenin - il-Bajja ta' San Pawl
- 19 of 2017 - Restricted Area at il-Ponta taz-Zonqor - il-Bajja ta' Marsascala
- 28 of 2017 - Restricted area at Dawret ix-Xatt – Xghajra
- 101 of 2017 - Falling Rocks at il-Munxar, Marsascala
- 117 of 2017 - Falling Rocks at Gnejna Bay
- 057 of 2018 - Restricted area at Tigne
- 099 of 2018 - Restricted Area at Xorb l-Ghagin – Il-Hoffriet
- 102 of 2018 - Restricted Area at Il-Bajja ta' San Tumas
- 104 of 2018 - Restricted Area at Ghar Ghana in Comino

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies mariners and owners of vessels that the above list is not comprehensive as such, mariners are to give special attention when entering any cave and to keep at a safe distance from cliff faces all round the Maltese Islands.