



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS N° 124 of 2026

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Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) - Benthic Survey - Cirkewwa Marine Park

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that a Benthic Survey will be carried out with the use of a Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV). This survey will be carried out within the Cirkewwa Marine Park.

Weather permitting the survey is planned to be carried out between Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th of July 2026, within the area A, B, C, D and the intermediate coastline as shown on the attached chart:

	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A	35° 58'.955	014° 19'.812
B	35° 59'.363	014° 19'.218
C	35° 58'.440	014° 18'.555
D	35° 58'.293	014° 19'.137

The ROV will be operated from the support vessel '*MV Atlantis II*', bearing the registration number S22369.

Mariners are instructed to navigate with caution when in the vicinity of the above-mentioned areas, they are to maintain a safe distance of 300m from the ROV and support vessel.

All mariners are to cooperate with the contractor and to comply with any instructions given on VHF Channel 12 and/or 16, by Valletta VTS.

Charts Affected: **BA 211, 2537**

