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LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No 04 of 2015

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Drilling Works for Geotechnical Investigations at Sliema Creek, Marsamxett Harbour.

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that further to Notice to Mariners No 3 of 2015 regarding drilling works for geotechnical investigations to be carried out in Sliema Creek, off Manoel Island bridge in Marsamxett Harbour along an imaginary line AB, the drilling works will now be completed by the Saturday, 14th February 2015 and not by Saturday 7th February 2015.

Weather permitting the works are expected to commence on Tuesday 3rd February 2015 and completed by Saturday 14th February 2015.

They will be carried out from a flat barge which will be accompanied by a small tug boat. The barge may deploy anchors to hold it in position and may remain in the area during the night. The Barge will display the signals in accordance with the International Collisions Regulations

Further more mariners and operators of vessels are advised to keep a sharp lookout and proceed at very slow speed.

Instructions given by Valletta Port Control (VTS) on VHF Channel 12 are to be complied with.

Chart affected: BA 177

Positions referred to WGS 84 DATUM.